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U-BOAT WAR SLUMPS—BRITISH CALL IT A PHANTOM.

Refugees.

AMERICANS MOVE OUT.

Villa Raiders Near the Border.

...Demanded for the ...Captured in Attack on "Corner" Ranch.

...Captures Ojitos and is ...in Position to Loot Sonora State.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...IDIO (Tex.) Feb. 14.—...ers from the interior of ...o are moving their fam... ...the border at Ojinaga, op... ...and reports brought by ... Villa followers were ... toward the border. These ... cannot be confirmed here.

...ITOS CAPTURED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...IDIO (Tex.) Feb. 14.—Jose ..., with his Villa com... ...captured Ojitos, an Ameri... ...cattle ranch in Mexico, ... miles southwest of the ..., yesterday. One Amer... ...is being held there for ... three American Mor... ...who were captured ... raid on the Corner ... are believed to be held ... at Ojitos, while Ameri... ... tonight patrol the bor... ... a repetition of Mex... raids.

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POPE MAY MOVE FOR WORLD PEACE

Munich Hears that He will Make Appeal to the Neutrals.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 11:15 p.m.—According to an Exchange Telegraph message from The Hague, it is reported from Munich that the Vatican has informed the nuncio at Munich that the Pope contemplates an appeal to all neutral governments to take joint action in favor of peace.

MEATLESS DAYS FOR SWISS ALSO.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERNE (Switzerland) Feb. 14 (via Paris.)—Meatless days, sugar cards, rice cards and restricted menus are being resorted to by the Swiss government. Foodstuffs are becoming more scarce as a result of the new naval blockade. Measures are being taken to induce everywhere the use of illuminating gas to save coal.

SHIP TO PATROL LOWER CALIFORNIA.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 31. — The ship Ondina has been placed at the disposition of the authorities at La Paz, Lower California, and will be used to patrol the coasts of that territory.

TO INDEMNIFY FOREIGNERS.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Appropriation of $41,000 to indemnify citizens of Greece and Turkey for property destroyed during a riot in South Omaha, Neb., in 1909, is proposed in a bill favorably reported to the House today by the Foreign Affairs Committee.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

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WASHINGTON. Messages to Cuba are being censored, it is said.

House kept in session until midnight by filibuster led by Congressman Mann.

Lansing issues second warning to Cubans against revolution.

Insistent demand that American shipping be allowed to arm increases tension resulting from break with Germany.

Army staff bill for compulsory military service is submitted to Secretary Baker.

MEXICO. Mexicans have demanded a ransom for Americans taken prisoner at the Corner Ranch.

Americans are withdrawing from Mexico as a result of the approach of the Villistas to the border.

Threats that American troops may cross the border are being made.

FOREIGN. A tremendous coal famine is being experienced in Vienna.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Five vessels are sunk by German submarines, among them an American schooner.

Artillery duels in several sectors on the Austro-Italian front are reported.

Entente attacks on heights recently taken by the Germans in the Cerna bend are repulsed.

German attacks in Volhynia, southwest of Lutsk, are repulsed.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

Carrying safe conducts from Great Britain and France for himself and party, Count von Bernstorff, the retiring German Ambassador to the United States, has started on his way for Berlin. On the French front the British in the Ancre and other regions continue to make raids on German positions. Wednesday's most successful operation was northeast of Arras, where King George's men entered 250 yards of German defenses and reached their third line. Many Germans were killed and some prisoners and a machine gun were captured. The Ancre raid was southeast of Grandecourt, where a strong position was captured. German trenches on the Somme and northeast of Ypres also have been entered by the British. In the Rumanian theater, near Meste Canesti, the Germans have captured and held against counter-attacks several Russian positions and made twenty-three officers and more than 1200 men prisoners. In addition, the Germans secured three cannon, twelve machine guns and six mine throwers.

Americans are again moving out of Mexico as the result of Villa activity and a large force of his men is reported in close proximity to the border. It is said Villa and his lieutenant, Salazar, are now in a position to capture Sonora. Propositions to ransom Americans recently captured have been made.

...TO READERS. It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, ...part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page. ...consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire ...and thus get all the news of the day.

Antilles.

SANTIAGO IS MINED.

Shipping Warned of the Danger.

Spread of Revolt in Cuba the Cause of Growing Fear at Washington.

America will Refuse to Recognize Government Based on Insurrection.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

SANTIAGO (Cuba) Feb. 14.—By order of the military commander of Santiago, the entrance of the harbor has been mined. All ships entering this port are requested to take on a pilot as soon as they reach Cuban waters.

This order, it is explained, has been issued for protection.

The military Governor of Santiago, Maj. Loret de Mola, made the following statement tonight with reference to the revolutionary movement:

"The forces in arms are against the rule of President Menocal, who, failing to respect the Constitution of Cuba, is utilizing the army for the purpose of obtaining his re-election. The duty of the army is to maintain order and uphold the Constitution, not to elect one party or another. The army is neither Liberal nor Conservative."

The Governor declared that he did not wish bloodshed and guaranteed the lives and property of all, regardless of their political affiliations.

WARNING TO SHIPS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVANA, Feb. 14.—The American Minister, W. E. Gonzales, today received a message signed by Maj. Rigoberto Fernandez, military commander of the insurgent forces in Santiago, stating that he had mined the port and advising all ships to ask for a pilot.

Another dispatch to the Minister from the same source said that if any army officers or others were held prisoners in Havana he would retaliate. He claims to have 2000 regular troops, besides 2000 militia.

Mr. Gonzales, in replying, said he did not believe there was any intention on the part of Gen. Menocal to execute prisoners and that there was no justification for such an act.

Important events have been following each other rapidly during the past twenty-four hours. Aside from Oriente and possibly a part of Camaguey, no evidence exists that any other persons except armed guerillas are operating in the four other provinces of the island.

The note of Secretary Lansing, delivered by Mr. Gonzales, has had a splendid effect in government circles.

Martial spirit is being aroused by the formation of a Presidential guard among society men here. Catalino Collazo is equipping a guerilla band of 150 men to join the regular army and protect lives and property in the outskirts of the Marianao district.

Acosta Guerra and other revolutionists have taken refuge in the Pinar del Rio hills. Another band of revolutionists has been broken up near Guanajay.

LANSING AGAIN WARNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Reports telling of the spread of the Liberal revolt in Cuba aroused such apprehension here today that Secretary Lansing cabled a second warning to the people of the republic that the United States would not regard as legal any government set up by violence. The message went to Minister Gonzales at Havana and to every American Consul, to be circulated all over the island.

Mr. Lansing pointed out the responsibility of the United States in connection with Cuba and intimated clearly that revolution was not to be tolerated.

This is the text of the message sent to Minister Gonzales and to American Consuls in Cuba for publication to the people:

The government of the United States has received with the greatest apprehension the reports which have come to it to the effect that there exists organized revolt against the government of Cuba in several provinces and that towns have been seized by the insurrectionists.

Reports such as these of insurrection against the constituted government can not be considered except as of the most serious nature since the government of the United States has given its confidence and support only to governments established through legal and constitutional methods.

During the past four years the government of the United States has clearly and definitely set forth its position in regard to recognition of governments which have come into power through revolution and other illegal methods, and at this time desires to emphasize its position in regard to the present situation in Cuba.

Its friendship for the Cuban people, which has been shown on repeated occasions, and the duties which are incumbent upon it on account of the agree-

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CLOTHES HIGHER; WOOL IS SCARCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—The scarcity of wool, the nearly-prohibitive price of dyes and the increasing cost of labor and other factors of production make higher prices for spring and summer clothing imperative, delegates to the National Association of Merchant Tailors' convention were told today. The decadence of the sheep-raising industry in this country and vast numbers of sheep slaughtered abroad for food cause the wool shortage, speakers said.

The fashion arbiters today outlawed the vestee, the white edging sewed to the V of the waistcoat.

W. J. F. Dailey of New York urged the tailors to conduct advertising campaigns through newspaper mediums.

United.

SWEDEN IS SOLID FOR SEA FREEDOM.

PRESS SAYS WHOLE NATION BACKS GOVERNMENT STAND.

Protest Said to be Firm and Definite, and so Worded as to Reserve Liberty of Action if Future Should Bring Forth Occasion.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 14 (via London, 5:30 p.m.)—"This time the Hammarskjoeld government has the whole Swedish nation on its side with the exception of a few denationalized individuals," says Liberal Pro-Entente Dagens Nieheler in concluding its editorial today on the Scandinavian nation's protest against the submarine blockade. The Conservative, pro-German newspapers, the Stockholms Dagblad and Svenska Dagbladt, likewise commend in the highest terms the attitude of the Scandinavian countries. The note, says the Dagblad, is a defense of the inalienable right of neutrals to the free use of the open seas. The measures of the Central Powers, it declares, cannot be acknowledged as a valid blockade and the German theory that the British proclamations of 1914 and 1917 created a new international law regarding war zones cannot be recognized as having any foundation.

The Dagblad insists that the protest is no "judicial gesture of a platonic nature," as is shown by its reservation of full liberty of action in case lives or property suffer. "The note," it comments, "is couched in firm and definite terms which ought to make an impression in the countries against whose illegal measures it is directed."

This newspaper says the note proves Sweden's impartial neutrality that the country's grave protest against the violation of the laws of naval warfare does not depend on sympathy for one side or the other, but is supported by a united people, whose protests against injury to their countrymen's life and property are far more than a juristic formality.

Fight Against Bill.

FILIBUSTER DETAINS HOUSE TO MIDNIGHT.

CONGRESSMEN ARE HALED FROM BED TO HELP MANN.

Republican Leader's Opposition to Bill to Give a Democrat a Nonsalaried Job Causes Washington Rumors that International Crisis is More Serious.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Filibustering by Republican Leader Mann tonight against a bill to give a Democrat instead of a Republican a nonsalaried membership on the Board of Governors of the National Soldiers' Home kept the House in session until near midnight, caused scores of members to be haled from bed, theaters and churches by the sergeant-at-arms and gave rise to widespread reports that Congress was dealing with a new international crisis.

As reported by a majority of the Military Affairs Committee, the bill would have retired Fred J. Close of Kansas City, Mo., chairman of the board, and named Representative Helvering of Kansas, a Democrat, as his successor.

Between roll calls the House and spectators' galleries were entertained by choruses led by Representatives Meeker of Missouri and Burnett of Alabama.

When the majority finally decided to adjourn for the night, the previous question had been ordered, putting the bill in position for a vote tomorrow.

CUBAN MESSAGES SUBJECT TO CENSOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company announced tonight that the naval officer in charge of the wireless station at Sayville has advised that messages which refer to private affairs should be refused, and only commercial messages, the text of which refers to business matters, and press dispatches will be accepted.

The Commercial Cable Company announced that cablegrams to all of Cuba are subject to censorship.

Tension.

ARM SHIPS, IS DEMAND

President May not Wait Overt Act.

Demoralization of Our Shipping Brings Most Serious Menace Since Break.

Plans Under Way to Intern All Germans in America if War Comes.

BY ARTHUR S. HENNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—With hundreds of ships tied up in American ports by the submarine menace, and with the administration still awaiting an "overt act" by Germany, President Wilson faces tonight the most serious dilemma since the severance of diplomatic relations with Berlin.

American shipowners are clamoring more vociferously than ever for protection of their vessels and cargoes on the high seas, and contending that it is the duty of the government to furnish such protection, either in the shape of defensive guns for merchantmen or naval convoys.

President Wilson has not formally authorized the Navy Department to furnish American ships with guns. But such authorization is momentarily expected, and the Navy Department is getting gun complements on the St. Louis and other passenger ships for the American line, as well as upon such other American merchantmen as may ask for protection.

PRESIDENT SEES DANGER.

The President is reluctant to furnish guns for American merchantmen for he fears that Germany would take umbrage at such action and proceed to sink American ships on sight.

A gun is practically useless to a merchantman unless it fires first at a submarine approaching, whether with or without hostile intent. The dangers of such situations the President regards as extremely grave.

According to some of his closest advisers the President will authorize the arming of merchantmen either when Germany sinks an American ship without warning or the American public clearly demands such protective measures.

One reason that the President is loath to yield to the clamors of the shipowners is that no American vessel has been sunk without warning since Germany proclaimed resumption of ruthless submarine warfare.

DETENTION CAMPS PLANNED.

The War Department has tentative plans for the construction in the United States of probably four alien detention camps to be used in time of war.

The site tentatively selected for one of these camps is Fort Sheridan, Ill.

These camps would be used primarily for the detention of undesirable aliens of all nationalities, but probably chiefly persons of Teutonic citizenship, in the event that the United States should go to war with Germany. The plans contemplate the erection of internment camps on such a scale that many thousands of persons could be accommodated.

The government has no present intention of interning in event of war all German, Austrian, Bulgarian or Turkish citizens now in the United States.

The treaties which the United States has with Prussia, formulated in 1799 and 1828, definitely provide that nationals of either belligerent in time of war shall have nine months in which to close their fiscal affairs and leave the country. However, certain sections of these treaties have been denounced by the United States, although there are some legal opinions to the effect that the treaties are still in effect.

LAW CASE ADDS TENSION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The steady accumulation of violations of American rights by Germany made it appear possible today that President Wilson would go before Congress to ask authority for further protecting lives and property without waiting for a serious disaster which might shock the country. There were no indications, however, that he believed the time for such a step had come, and it again was stated authoritatively that he would move deliberately and with full appreciation of all the consequences involved.

Official reports of the sinking of the American schooner Lyman M. Law in the Mediterranean by an Austrian submarine added only slightly to the tension, for while the act is believed to have been illegal, no lives were lost and the vessel apparently was warned. The incident was not looked upon as in itself sufficient to hurry the development of the situation.

EXPORTS PILING UP.

Preliminary reports today began coming to government departments showing the piling up about the Atlantic seaboard of goods destined for export to European ports. No serious effect from this condition will be felt, however, until lapse of sufficient time for ships remaining in American ports to have gone to Europe and returned. While only approximately 10 per cent. of American commerce with Europe is carried on American ships, the sailings of

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GERMANY AGAIN WARNS VESSELS.

Order for the Unrestricted Submarine Campaign is Verified.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 4:54 p.m.—A Berlin official statement dated February 14, referring to news from abroad to the effect that the marine barrier Germany maintained with submarines and mines has been or will be weakened out of regard for the United States or for other reasons, says: "Regard for neutrals prompts the clearest declaration that unrestricted war against all sea traffic in the announced barred zones is now in full swing and will under no circumstances be restricted."

Hitch.

PROTESTS COUNTING WILSON MAJORITY.

PHILADELPHIAN SAYS VOTE OF SOUTH IS ILLEGAL.

Declares Constitution Provides that When Right of Suffrage has been Denied to Citizens Reduction Must be Made in Electoral College.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Speaker Clark received today a protest against the counting by Congress of a majority vote for the election of Woodrow Wilson as President of the United States.

The protest came from William A. Sinclair of No. 1221 Pine street, Philadelphia. He says thirty southern electoral votes were cast for Wilson in violation of the Constitution, which provides that when for any reason the right of suffrage has been denied to the voters a corresponding reduction in the Electoral College must be made. The Speaker admitted tonight he had received the protest but that it came after the canvass of votes had taken place before a joint session of the Senate and House at which Wilson and Marshall were declared elected, the electoral vote announced being 277 to 254.

BACKED IN CHICAGO.

The protest apparently is backed by the law firm of Levinson, Becker & Schwartz, No. 76 West Monroe street, Chicago. The official count of the electoral votes is in, recorded officially, accepted by Congress and the results recorded as stated in the accepted count of congress.

The protest has been based on the alleged disfranchisement of the negroes in the South a sort of abolition movement. The leader in the movement is A. E. Pillsbury, a lawyer of Boston, who had printed in the Boston Sunday Herald of December 17, 1916, a long legal argument on the disfranchisement of the negro as applied to the legality of Presidential elections. Mr. Pillsbury opened his article with the statement: "The people of three-fourths of the States are confronted with the direct question whether they will keep in their own hands their just and lawful share of power in the Federal government or will surrender a substantial part of it to the South as a reward for disfranchising the negro."

This is followed by a review of conditions on election laws in Southern States and reference to the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution. Of this review Mr. Levinson of the Chicago law firm says:

MR. LEVINSON'S VIEW.

"I have never read a clearer article or a better statement in my life. It was so convincing and put in such a masterly way that I, for one, feel like telling you and your cohort to go ahead to the limit in every way that can be done to uplift the situation and the fundamental rights of all our citizens. If I can be of any possible service in this thing I should count it an honor."

OLD PRUSSIAN TREATY IS STILL IN FORCE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—While the United States considers that Germany has given grounds on which it might properly and justly denounce the Prussian-American treaties of 1799 and 1828, it was declared at the State Department today that the government will continue to live up to the spirit of the old conventions.

It was indicated that there will be no reaffirmations or extensions as asked by Germany, but that the United States prefers to leave the old conventions as they stand.

The United States considers that Germany's failure to accept the seaman's bill amendment to square the law with the treaty leaves this government free to take whatever action it deems best.

The seamen's bill provided that unless foreign governments accepted its provisions as an amendment to commercial treaties, such as those questions, the treaties should be abrogated. However, the treaty provides that even in case of war, the nation remaining neutral shall have entire freedom of commerce even with the ports of the enemy. This provision has been violated by German submarine warfare.

Not "Ruthless."

BLOCKADE OF ENGLAND VIEWED AS A FAILURE.

Probably More Submarines than Merchant Vessels are Being Sunk.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Germany's campaign of submarine frightfulness, heralded as a starvation measure against Great Britain, which would cut off the food supply of the United Kingdom within six weeks, is slowly revealing itself as a phantom.

Every day the number of vessels caught in the meshes of the U-boat barrier drawn around the British Isles with portentous solemnity by the Kaiser's government, is growing less. The sinking of only four ships today, of a total of only 10,296 tons, indicates that the German hope of blockading her greatest enemy is being smothered.

BRIGHT FEATURE.

One of the brightest features in the situation, according to British authorities, is the fact that the number of German submarines is being reduced daily—perhaps at a greater ratio than in the case of their victims. If the destruction of these undersea craft continues at the present rate, Germany may speedily find herself without enough to continue the blockade, while the shipping of Great Britain will have been practically untouched.

"More ships have entered and left English ports in the last few days than for months past," was the remark of a high Admiralty official today. Yesterday his figures showed more ships arrived and departed than on any day for six months. The average loss to commerce going to and from British ports since the campaign began on February 1, was one ship out of every thirty-five, the official stated.

SMALL LOSSES.

One of the most significant features, the official pointed out, is found in the effect of the "sink-at-sight" policy on British naval communications in the English Channel. Here, at a period when a greater number of ships than ever before are plying between English and French ports, the losses in the last two weeks have been extraordinarily small, he declared.

The first shock over, Britain has almost come to a spirit of optimism regarding the undersea attack. Although the responsible authorities—Admiral Jellicoe, Lord Lytton, Sir Edward Carson and Lord Beresford—admit the gravity of the situation, predict the continuation of the high tension for several weeks, to come and counsel against overconfidence, naval officers generally feel that the U-boats will be taken care of now as they were in the second year of the war.

THE DAILY TOLL.

While the daily toll of destruction is unquestionably lessening, nobody doubts that Berlin, with an eye on the coming western offensive, means to carry on the campaign regardless of the consequences. An illustration of this was furnished today in the sinking of the American schooner Lyman M. Law, carrying a non-contraband cargo and with eight Americans included in the crew.

The other ships reported sunk today, were the British steamers Roanoke, Inishowen Head and F. D. Lambert, the first named measuring 3750 tons, being the largest. There was no loss of life, according to reports.

By these sinkings the German submarines brought their harvest for the two weeks of the campaign up to ninety-six ships, of 206,172 tons, an average of less than 15,000 tons a day.

EFFECT ON SHIPPING.

The campaign has had almost as insignificant an effect on shipping entering and leaving French ports, according to Marcel Hutin, the exceptionally well-informed editor of "L'Echo de Paris," on last Monday. M. Hutin declared today 112 French and neutral vessels entered French ports—a figure that shows little decrease from the day preceding the unrestricted submarine campaign.

"Ineffective," M. Hutin terms the German effort.

All possibility of a German plea that she was ignorant of the nationality of the American schooner Lyman M. Law is forestalled by the official report declaring that a crew from the submarine attacking her boarded and sunk her by placing bombs in the hold. In addition to this, there arrived tonight fresh warnings which have been published in semiofficial organs of the Berlin Foreign Office announcing categorically that if the steamers Rochester, Orleans and St. Louis, enter the submarine zone they will be sunk without mercy.

Steadfast.

KAISER IN INTERVIEW IS FIRM FOR BLOCKADE.

Refers to the Swedish Not e as Voicing Sentiment of the Neutrals, and Declar es Napoleon's Plan from First Being Regarded as a Phantom has Become a Reality.

BY CYRID BROWN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—During his Vienna visit the Kaiser received the Austrian poet and playwright, Hans Mueller, author of "Koenage," and now enjoying the distinction of being permitted to publish the first interview with the Kaiser of the war. Mueller writes:

"It is a well spring of clarification and confidence to hear Kaiser Wilhelm speak about the sharpest of all our weapons, the new submarine war, whose results military, political and psychological, he already now appraises as very considerable.

" 'Look at the European neutrals,' the Kaiser exclaimed: 'read the Swedish answer; this document is written as if for all eternity. Now the neutrals know right well how they have to estimate our strength, but likewise our will to peace. For the first time, in a certain sense, the declared will of the small neutral states stands against the Anglo-Saxon world, and Napoleon's continental blockade, from a phantom, is becoming a reality, one which will hit England harder than everything else heretofore.'

"I interjected that our people, too stand firmly and courageously ready to make sacrifices for the recent decision. Kaiser Wilhelm's eyes flashed joyfully. He nodded his head and said, beaming:

" 'Ja, I know, I know, and I rejoice with all my heart to see how splendidly your blauen jungen (bluejackets,) work together with mine. There is greatness of purpose in this; the goal is set, and things are going ahead.'"

Mueller referred to the letter which the Kaiser had written to the Chancellor, announcing the peace offer of the Central Powers. Kaiser Wilhelm nodded energetically and said:

"This letter had to be written. This step had to be taken. For now all the world knows who those are who impose continued miseries on humanity."

Mueller continues his description of his interview with the Kaiser:

"Here we stand in intimate converse over the last phase of the war. Could I but reproduce the high moral tone, and likewise the tone of knowledge with which Kaiser Wilhelm gives splendid expression to his confidence. Then would in every one of our houses a window fly open, and through every open window would a new spring sun shine over the table.

"For the Kaiser does not indulge in phrases. He has faith, as one who has looked all dangers openly in the face. And one thing more, he loves Austria-Hungary with all his heart.

" 'Does one already forget,' the

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Dare the Blockade.

ENGLAND'S SEA TRAFFIC GROWS DESPITE U-BOATS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 7 p.m.—Although naval officers here express the belief that the submarine operations may continue at high tension for a couple of months, they show the utmost confidence in the ability of the navy to cope with the latest campaign with approximately the same success as the campaign against the U-boats in 1915.

An Admiralty official showed the Associated Press the figures today of arrivals and departures yesterday at English ports, indicating that a larger number of vessels entered and departed than on any day during the past six months. Taking a day at random during the period since the latest war zone was declared, out of 140 British arrivals and departures only four vessels were sunk, and these figures, according to the official, gave an excellent idea of the percentage of loss to vessels taking the risks.

In the English Channel, where British communications are most vital, Admiralty officers say, the losses have been extraordinarily small at a time when more ships than usual are being routed through the channel.

The Great War.

"SNOW SHIRTS" ON SLAV FRONT

Germans Drive Back Forces in Grotesque Attire.

British Continue Attacks on Banks of the Ancre.

Italians Use Gas Grenades in Vippach Valley.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Tuckerton, N. J.)—Reviewing recent operations along the Russian front, the military critic of the Overseas News Agency, writing under date of February 13, says:

"Abatement of the cold weather has been accompanied by livelier patrol activity on the Russian front. After their sanguinary failure in the offensive attempt on the Riga bridgehead the Russians during the past few days have attempted local advances along the Dvina front. Attacking forces wearing 'snow shirts' have closely approached the German defenses on dark nights, but have invariably been driven away by the well-directed fire of the vigilant defenders. Each time in the retreat across the broad river the Russians suffered heavy losses.

"The Russian enterprises of February 10, near Postavy and Zlochoff, and also on February 12 west of Lutsk, met the same fate. The only enterprises on a large scale were the two attacks by several Russian battalions made on February 12, near Zvyzyn, on the upper Sereth, which despite full co-operation by the artillery broke down completely in front of the German line.

GERMAN PATROLS BUSY.

"German patrols on the other hand have during the past few days repeatedly gained notable successes. On the lower Stokhod a German reconnoitering detachment on February 10 brought in prisoners and valuable material, while during a short but vigorous advance near Kiselin on February 11 two officers and forty Russian were made prisoner. South of Lake Drisviaty on February 12, ninety men were captured. A success of greater importance was obtained by our troops south of the Vale Putna road in the district of Meste Canesti, where the Russians for weeks have been exerting strong pressure by a number of attacks of the most violent character."

REPULSE BRITISH.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—British troops in strength continued yesterday their attacks against the German position on the north bank of the river Ancre, in France. Two British attacks south of the town of Serre were repulsed after violent hand-to-hand fighting, according to the official announcement issued today by German army headquarters. Several Russian positions in the Meste Canesti sector of Rumania were stormed yesterday by Teutonic troops under command of Archduke Joseph, says today's German official statement. The captured ground was held despite violent counter-attacks. More than 1200 Russians were taken prisoner and the booty captured by the Austro-Germans included three cannon and twelve machine guns.

The German official statement regarding operations in Southern Serbia says:

"Macedonian front: In the bend of the River Cerna, Italian attacks were made in an effort to recapture the heights to the east of Paralovo. They were without success."

VIENNA REPORT.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Tuckerton.)—The Vienna headquarters statement of February 13 was as follows:

"Italian front: In the Vippach Valley the lively artillery engagements continued yesterday. The Italians fired numerous gas grenades. Hostile attacks from the district of St. Peter were repulsed.

"The number of prisoners brought in south of the Coalba Gorge has increased to three officers and eighty-eight men. Near Tonale Pass our troops surprised a hostile point of support and took prisoner twenty-three Italians."

GERMAN TROOPS GO.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) Feb. 14.—The majority of the German troops recently concentrated on the eastern border of Holland now have disappeared from the towns along the frontier, according to reports received by the Handelsbladt.

GERMANS TAKE HEIGHT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD (via London) Feb. 14 (British Admiralty, per Wireless Press.)—Capture by the Germans of a height near Jacobeni, southwest of Kimpolung near the northern end of the Rumanian frontier, is announced in today's War Office statement. The attacks along the remainder of the front in this sector were repulsed by the Russians.

A counter-attack resulted in the Germans being ousted from the height, but later they again assumed the offensive and during the fighting took possession of two heights to the eastward of Jacobeni, the Russians withdrawing two-thirds of a mile and entrenching themselves on an elevation about a mile from the town.

PARIS VERSION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The official statement tonight reads:

"East of Rheims we carried out a surprise attack in the sector of Prosnes. The two artilleries were active during the day in the regions of Les Maisons de Champagne and at St. Hilaire, and also on the left bank of the Meuse in the sectors of Hill No. 304 and Le Mort Homme.

"In the Woevre our batteries decisively shelled enemy organizations north of Flirey. The day was relatively calm everywhere else.

"German airplanes in the evening dropped bombs in the region of Dunkirk; several of the civil population were killed and others were wounded. Nancy likewise was bombarded by airplanes this morning, there being no casualties.

"Last night our air squadrons dropped projectiles on aviation grounds at Etreillers (Aisne) and Rancourt (Somme,) on the railway stations at Athies, Kombleux, Voyenne, Curchy, St. Quentin and Ham, and also on manufactories, east of Tergnier, where several explosions occurred.

Belgium communication:

"Last night an enemy attack on our posts east of Pervyse failed. Today there was an artillery duel along the whole front."

MORE BRITISH RAIDS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—British headquarters in France tonight reports:

"During the day we captured an enemy strong point southeast of Grandcourt and took a few prisoners. Another very successful raid was carried out this morning northeast of Arras. We penetrated 250 yards into the enemy's defenses and reached his third line of defenses. Two machine-gun emplacements and a number of dugouts were completely destroyed. Many of the enemy were killed in the dugouts, which they refused to leave. We captured forty prisoners and a machine gun. Our casualties were very light.

"We also entered the German lines last night on the Somme and northeast of Ypres, and inflicted considerable casualties. A hostile raid attempted east of Armentieres during the night was repulsed; a second enemy party reached our trenches south of Messines, but was quickly ejected.

"Three of the enemy's ammunition dumps were exploded today by our artillery fire. North of Ypres we caused a fire in the enemy's lines. One German airplane was destroyed in the air fighting yesterday on our side of the line and one of our machines was brought down."

ACTRESS'S DAUGHTER GONE.

Detroit Negro Quarter Scoured for White Child.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Feb. 14.—Detectives were today searching negro boarding houses in Detroit, for 14-year-old Marjorie Delbridge, a white girl from Chicago, who has been missing since January 26. She was located here yesterday at the home of Enoch Taylor, a negro. Last night she disappeared and, according to Mrs. Taylor, was taken to Canada.

The Delbridge girl, daughter of an actress, was reared in Chicago by a negro woman, Mrs. Camilla Jackson. Mrs. Taylor denied that she knew Mrs. Jackson or the Delbridge child and said that a white woman brought the girl to her house, after "a friend" had called up and arranged for a room.

FRENCH WRECK KILLS SCORE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14, 5:15 p.m.—Twenty-three persons are reported to have been killed in a railroad accident at Senquex.

THE J IS HARD IN ILLINOIS.

San Jose is Said as it is Spelled Back on the Alton Line.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 14.—Citizens of San Jose, Ill., have protested against action of the Chicago and Alton Railroad in instructing employees in pronouncing the name of the town to use the Spanish pronounciation, phonetically "San Ho-say." Always the citizens have Anglicized the pronounciation to sound as if S-a-n J-o-s-e were the phonetic spelling. A petition by the Commercial Association said to have been signed by nearly every citizen of the town protesting against "San Ho-say" has been forwarded to President Byrd of the Alton. He said the company's brakemen would be instructed to use the Anglicized pronounciation in calling San Jose.

CUMULATIVE EVIDENCE.

The significance of the never-failing lead of THE TIMES in advertising patronage lies in the fact that merchants, business men and other buyers of advertising space watch the results obtained from publicity mediums as carefully as they do their daily receipts, and they concentrate their advertising in THE TIMES solely because it brings them the quickest and most satisfactory returns on the money invested in printed announcements.

The following tabulation shows the number of agate lines of advertising, also the total number of separate Want Ads, printed in Los Angeles newspapers for the week ending Saturday, February 10th, 1917, as well as THE TIMES superiority as a business-getter for its advertising patrons:

Week ending February 10th, 1917:

	Total Lines Advertising	Separate "Want" Ads.
THE TIMES	268,394	15,796
Second Morning Newspaper	198,254	10,797
Third Morning Newspaper	165,032	3,520
First Evening Newspaper	149,478	2,167
Second Evening Newspaper	146,160	2,570
Third Evening Newspaper	68,208	402

The use of THE TIMES advertising columns is a dividend paying investment and is in no sense a speculation.

Humiliating.

GERMANS JAIL EMBASSY AIDE.

Member of Gerard's Staff is Subjected to Annoyance.

Attache is Locked up, then Ordered Out of Country.

Americans are Reassured of Safety in Germany.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERNE (via Paris) Feb. 14, 4:45 p.m.—Christian N. Herter, formerly an attache of the American Embassy in Berlin, but who was loaned by Ambassador Gerard to Brand Whitlock, the American Minister to Belgium, arrived in Berne today after having been arrested by German petty officials at Mayence and having been subjected to much other annoyance in leaving Belgium.

Mr. Herter said today that he had applied for his passports February 5, but was kept waiting for them until February 9. When he had to change trains at Mayence he was seized and locked up for most of the night. When he was released, after repeated protests, he was ordered to cross the boundary by 8 o'clock. This, he said, he did, with the customary differences at the frontiers.

ATTACHES REACH HOLLAND.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

THE HAGUE (via London) Feb. 14, 8:15 p.m.—Alexander O. Kirk, former second secretary of the American Embassy in Berlin; two clerks, Messrs. Pyar and Prince, and a stenographer arrived this morning from Berlin. They were the last of the Embassy staff. The Dutch Minister, Baron G. Evers, was left in charge of the Embassy building. No other Americans traveled with the party, and it seems as if few of them are coming to Holland, the majority having gone to Switzerland or Denmark. Mr. Kirk has been provisionally assigned to The Hague Legation.

REASSURES AMERICANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 13 (via London, Feb. 14, 10:15 a.m.)—An appeal to Americans in Germany not to become alarmed and to conduct their businesses as usual, is contained in the weekly bulletin of the American Association of Commerce and Trade, an organization representing American business interests in Germany. The bulletin says in part:

"At present we cannot see any reason why Americans should become alarmed or hysterical and neglect or abandon their business. No matter how the situation may develop we believe Americans in Germany who conduct themselves properly will have nothing to fear and will in no way be disturbed."

Only three or four members of the American dentists' colony in Berlin, which is quite numerous, have left Germany, and the remaining Americans in the German capital are apparently settling down to their usual routine after the flurry following the breach of relations with the United States.

BREAK STARTS BEAR MOVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERNE (Switzerland) Feb. 13 (via Paris, Feb. 14, 4:30 a.m.)—At the moment when the rupture with the United States occurred the general financial situation of Germany was dominated more completely than ever before during the war. It can be said that the break with America precipitated a marked bear movement on the Bourse. Trading at no time assumed a panicky character.

Many operators were disposed to speculate on the expectation that the submarine campaign would force the war to an early conclusion.

Explanatory.

THE SWISS DID IT, GERMANS INSIST.

MEDIATION SUGGESTION AS INTERPRETED BY BERLIN.

Alleges Nation was Ready to Seek Adjustment After Barring Relaxation of Sea Interdict. Can be no Turning Back in U-boat Campaign.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 2:09 p.m.—The German official version of the proposals made through the Swiss Minister in Washington for a conference on submarine questions is given in the following official telegram, says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent:

"What lies at the bottom of this report is the following:

"A telegram from the Swiss Minister in Washington was transmitted to Germany by Switzerland in which the Minister offered, if Germany was agreeable, to mediate in negotiations with the American government about the declaration of prohibited areas, as thereby the danger of war between Germany and the United States might be diminished.

"The Swiss government was then requested to inform its Minister at Washington that Germany, as before, was ready to negotiate with America in case the commerce barrier against our enemies remained untouched.

"As is obvious, Germany could only have entered into such negotiations on condition that, firstly, diplomatic relations between America and Germany should be restored; and, secondly, that the object of the negotiations could only be certain concessions respecting American passenger ships.

"The interdiction of overseas imports proclaimed against our enemies through unrestricted submarine warfare would thus, even if diplomatic relations with America were restored, be in no circumstances relaxed.

"The reply of the Swiss Minister at Washington expressed very clearly that in the resolute carrying out of our U-boat war against the entire overseas import of our enemies there is for us no turning back."

Don't Risk Pneumonia.

Get rid of every cold as quickly as possible. It is the forerunner of all pulmonary trouble, and pneumonia may develop in a few hours. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is a simple thing to do, but the effect is marvelous.—[Advertisement.

FARM AND GARDEN SPECIAL EDITION.

A MOST attractive feature number of The Times will be issued on Monday, February 19. It will be a special Farm and Garden edition with the green slopes and the balmy breeze of the Spring's Own Southland in it. Full of facts, pictures and sentiment. You can hear the larks sing in it and the laying hens cackle. You can see the sower sowing and the plowmen plowing. With potatoes four cents a pound and beans $6.25 per hundred. What's that odor? Onions! It will be the most glowing, picturesque land-selling and practical of Farm and Garden editions. Out Monday morning, February 19.

Arm Ships.

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vessels of other nationalities in many instances have either been cancelled or postponed, and therefore the result of the ruthless submarine campaign in time will result in far-reaching disturbance of the industrial life of the United States.

Preparations by the government for any eventuality still are going forward without interruption. Much importance is attached to the work of the Council of National Defense, which is holding daily sessions for the purpose of learning at first hand from Americans of experience what provision must be made to co-ordinate American resources. E. S. Stettinius of J. P. Morgan & Co., New York, was again before the council today, furnishing information gained from experience as head of his firm's huge transactions in war orders for the Entente Allies.

ARMING OF SHIPS.

It was stated during the day that it was entirely possible the government would take no steps toward actually furnishing arms to American ships unless and until the President decides he must go before Congress.

While the State Department takes the position that the government has the right to furnish the guns, other questions which make the question more complex have arisen. The greatest of these is the determination of the President to do nothing which might give Germany the excuse in any trouble which may follow to place the responsibility upon the United States.

Consul Treadway at Rome forwarded dispatches today showing that the schooner Law was sunk by an "Austrian submarine without flag," apparently by placing a bomb aboard after the vessel had been stopped. The reports indicate that the vessel was illegally sunk, as her cargo of lumber is not considered contraband by this government and that the recognized rule of the sea that a war craft must show its flag before taking hostile action was violated.

VIENNA BREAK NOW?

Most serious of the aspects of the case is the statement that the submarine was Austrian. In replying to the queries that will be sent to Vienna as to the facts of the sinking it is thought more than probable that Austria may make some statement which will precipitate the expected break with that country. Officials have admitted that Austria has sent a submarine note identical with Germany's, but so far this country has held off from extending the severance of relations to that country.

The question of the armament of American merchantmen seemed to be temporarily disposed of today by the official statement that there were no guns in the country to be had by ship owners unless the government provided them, and the strong intimation that the President expects to go before Congress again before committing the government to the policy of furnishings arms. President Wilson is said to feel that he promised Congress he would consult that body again before he took the next step toward protecting American lives and property on the high seas, and that official participation in the armament of merchantmen would constitute such a next step.

The detention by Germany of the seventy-two American sailors brought in as prisoners on the prize ship Yarrowdale will result in a peremptory demand for their release within a few days.

Navy Department officials let it be known that there are absolutely no gun mountings and very little ammunition in the country not directly under government ownership and that there are no guns of the type wanted nearing completion in American factories, either for this country or foreign governments, which could be released for American ship owners.

Reports in answer to queries by the State Department already are coming in from the outlying possessions of the United States as to the treatment of German crews there, and a complete statement on that subject will be sent to Germany as soon as possible, accompanied by the demand for the freedom of the American sailors held in Germany. Exclusive of the seventy-two Yarrowdale prisoners, it is thought the number of native Americans in Germany has fallen since the break from about 500 to less than 250, with perhaps another fifty in Austria. The exact number of native Americans in Bulgaria and Turkey, who probably cannot be reached in any circumstance, is unknown.

Another inquiry was sent to Turkey today asking Ambassador Elkus why he had not been able to report to the department as to the condition of the 1000 Americans, naturalized and others, marooned in Syria, and as to whether Turkey plans to carry out Germany's submarine policy with the submarines she is known to have. Steps were also taken to learn where all reports from both Turkey and Bulgaria since the break with Germany have been held up. It is assumed that it is at Vienna, through which all communications to those countries pass.

CALL LABOR OF ALL NATIONS TO CONFER.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 12 (via Sayville, Feb. 14.)—Steps being taken for holding an international labor union meeting in Switzerland are recounted by the Overseas News Agency as follows:

"The Swiss Central Committee of Labor Unions, during the Christmas conference of the French labor unions, suggested an international meeting of labor unions. An agreement was reached for the attendance of French, Spanish, Italian, Belgian and possibly also English delegates at a meeting to be held in Switzerland, despite the fact that the war still was in progress.

"The Swedish National Committee sent an affirmative reply, contingent upon participation by both the other Scandinavian nations."

Santiago Mined.

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ment between the two countries forces the government of the United States to make clear its future policy at this time.

INTERVENTION EASY.

Minister Gonzales's reports of the growth of the revolt were submitted by the State Department to the Secretaries of War and Navy as promptly as they were received. In neither of the military departments was there indication that any warlike move was being prepared in connection with the situation, but because of the experience gained in two previous interventions military operations could be inaugurated in brief time without much renewed study of plans.

Secretary Baker announced that with the approval of the President a deal had been closed yesterday for the sale of 10,000 army rifles and 2,000,000 rounds of ammunition to the Cuban government. Negotiations for the purchase had been in progress several months. The President is authorized by statute to approve the sale of arms and ammunition to Cuba, whose soldiers are the only ones in the world other than American who carry the United States army Springfield rifle. Shipment of the guns and ammunition will be hastened as they will be needed by President Menocal to arm his volunteers.

Official news from Cuba convinced the administration that the rebellion already has assumed greater proportions than had been anticipated. Developments of the movements were reported from widely separated points, and the Cuban government's call for volunteers served to support the successes claimed by the rebels.

AWAIT ELECTION RESULT.

Reports of the special election that was announced for today in Santa Clara and which was expected to determine beyond doubt the winner in the Presidential election, had not been received at the State Department late today.

Information already received from Cuba has made it appear that there was no doubt Dr. Alfredo Zayas, the Liberal candidate, was elected. One suggested cause for the present uprising was that it had been precipitated by the President when he ordered the arrest of several civilians and army officers on the charge of complicity in a plot to depose him.

Late today an appeal fas received from Mrs. Rita Castellanos, in New York, urging the President to intervene in behalf of her son, a young lieutenant, who is reported to have been sentenced to death on the charge of complicity in the plot. Minister Gonzales in Havana was instructed to make an investigation of the circumstances.

It became known after the transmission of the warning to the Cuban people that a similar warning was sent to every Central American country after the overthrow of the Gonzales administration in Costa Rica.

HAVANA REPORTS FIGHTING.

[BY CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVANA, Feb. 14.—A Presidential decree has just been issued authorizing the formation of as many military companies as is necessary in each military district, the organization to be the same as that of the regular army.

It is reported that Col. Baldomero Acosta, Mayor of Mariano, who is said to have led the rebels who engaged in a fight with rural guards forty miles from Havana yesterday, has been kiled, and that Maj.-Gen. Enrique Loynaz del Castillo has been wounded. This report has not been confirmed. Maj-Gen. Del Castillo represented Cuba at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

The latest official communication says government troops are closely pursuing Col. Acosta's force. Small disturbances have occurred in Matanzas and Santa Clara provinces.

According to official information, the re-elections in Santa Clara are proceeding peacefully.

Confirmation was received today of the revolt of Lieut.-Col. Quinones in Camaguey province with sixty-two followers. Fighting is said to have occurred in which Commander Salono, recently sent to Camaguey to take charge of the loyal forces, is reported to have been killed. The government would not confirm the report regarding Commander Salono.

In addition to the force of rurales in Camaguey, troops numbering 800 under Col. Collazo are marching to attack the insurrectos. Wire communication is still interrupted.

The Spanish Minister is reported to have warned all Spanish subjects resident in Cuba that if they take up arms in Cuba they will forfeit their Spanish citizenship.

APPROVE LANSING'S COURSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Dr. Crestes Ferrara, Speaker of the Cuban House of Representatives, and Dr. Raimundo Cabrera, now in this city as special representatives of the directorate of the Liberal party in Cuba, issued a statement tonight in which they approved the attitude of the United States government, as outlined in the note of Secretary of State Lansing to the Cuban people warning that any government that might be established by revolt in Cuba could not be recognized by this country. The Liberal party, they declared, "does not want to get into power by force or illegal means."

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These Tablets are intended especially for disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. If you are troubled with heartburn, indigestion or constipation, they will do you good.—[Advertisement.

Be an Exception.

Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

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The War at Sea.

BERLIN REPORTS MORE SINKINGS.

New Submarine Figures Tell Campaign's Progress

Lloyd's Announces Three British Ships Torpedoed.

The Dundee Beached After Attack by U-boat.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14, (via Tuckerton.)—"According to new submarine reports, six more steamships and one sailing ship, with an aggregate tonnage of 25,000, have been sunk," says the Overseas News Agency.

"On February 8, it was reported that a German submarine had sunk ten vessels, with a total tonnage of 19,000, in the Atlantic. Among these were two steamships carrying corn and other food supplies; one with saltpetre to England; two with coal for Gibraltar, and the Italian state railroads, and another carrying oil to Queenstown. The same submarine took prisoner a British prize officer on a Dutch steamer."

THREE SINKINGS REPORTED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 12:59 p.m.—The F. D. Lambert, a British steamship of 2105 tons gross, was sunk last night by a German submarine, according to a notice posted at Lloyd's shipping agency today. The crew has been landed.

Two British trawlers also have been sunk.

The British steamer Bayreaulx has been posted at Lloyd's as missing. The Bayreaulx, which left Cardiff October 20 last for Montreal, was a vessel of 3009 tons gross, 325 feet long and built at West Hartlepool in 1895.

SHIP IN BALLAST SUNK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ST. JOHN (N. B.) Feb. 14.—The sinking February 12 of the British steamer Inishowen Head, 3050 tons gross, from Glasgow for this port, was reported in a cablegram received by agents today. The vessel was in ballast and one member of the crew was lost.

TORPEDOED AND BEACHED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The British freight steamer Roanoke, Dundee, Scotland, for New York, has been torpedoed and beached, according to advices received by the maritime exchange here. She is registered as a vessel of 3755 tons gross, 368 feet long, built at West Hartlepool in 1907, and owned by Furness, Withy & Co.

Policy.

CHILE NEUTRAL BUT INDEPENDENT.

NOTE SPEAKS OF FRIENDLY FEELING TO GERMANS.

Communication Given to Teuton Minister at Santiago Declares Kaiser has Good Reason to Expect Expression Corresponding to Former Traditional Relations.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—The Chilean Minister, Dr. Cruchaga, delivered today to the Foreign Office the Chilean note in reply to the German communication respecting the new measures of submarine war. The text of the note, says the Overseas News Agency, is identical with that presented by the Chilean Foreign Minister a few days ago to the German Minister at Santiago and adds:

"The Chilean government protests, but at the same time declares that it reserves all rights pertaining to strict neutrality, observed until now and which will be maintained also in the future. German public opinion, considering the firmness and independence which always characterized the international policy of Chile, has good reason to expect from this country an expression of neutrality such as is manifested in the note and which corresponds to the traditional friendly relations existing between the two countries."

The reply of the Chilean government to the German note on submarine warfare was cabled from Santiago, Chile, after declaring that "such a measure amounts to a restriction of the rights of neutrals, to which restrictions Chile cannot agree," says:

"The acceptance by Chile of the measure adopted by Germany would, moreover, divert her from the line of strict neutrality, which has been followed during the European conflict. Chile, consequently, reserves liberty of action to protect all of her rights in the event of any hostile acts against her interests."

WOMEN FAVOR POTATO FAST.

Price Greater in Wisconsin than is Charged in Now Blockaded Germany.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MONROE (Wis.) Feb. 14.—Women of this city, who conferred on the high cost of living, decided today that they will institute a potato fast unless the price of tubers declined by the end of this week. It is proposed to abstain from potatoes until the price recedes. The women declare that in blockaded Germany sixty pounds of potatoes can be bought, if any are available, for 72 cents, while in Wisconsin, one of the greatest potato raising State in the Union, consumers are paying four times that price.

Deprivation.

FUEL AND LIGHT SCARE IN VIENNA.

MOVIE SHOWS CLOSED AND FEW STREET CARS RUN.

Restaurants Darkened at 10 o'Clock and Municipal Power Plants are Unable to Secure Coal on Account of the Heavy Snowfall.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VIENNA, Feb. 13 (via London, Feb. 14.)—Owing to shortage of coal for heating and production of electricity a number of sweeping measures for cutting down consumption of fuel have been adopted by the city and provincial governments. Street illumination has been reduced to an adequate minimum and the street car service has been cut in half.

All moving-picture houses were closed tonight and from now on theaters must conclude their performances at 9 o'clock, restaurants must close at 10 o'clock and cafes at 11 o'clock. Beginning Tuesday street cars will run from 5 to 9 in the morning and from 5 to 8:15 in the evening. The only cars operated during the day will be those connecting with railroad stations. These regulations are due to the fact that the municipal power plants have been unable to procure coal through traffic being tied up by the heavy snowfall.

The coal supply for the poor is being administer by the military authorities working under the personal supervision of Emperor Charles, who shows a keen interest in relief work. The sweeping limitations on the consumption of coal and electricity affect factories, shops, hotels and private dwellings.

In the meanwhile the cold weather shows no inclination to moderate. Vienna is almost snowbound and is suffering from a lack of labor to clear the streets. During the last four days schoolboys have been clearing the gutters for the purpose of protecting the cellars in the event of a sudden thaw.

ENGLAND TAKES COAL MINES TO WAR END.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 4:16 p.m.—The Board of Trade will take possession of the coal mines throughout the kingdom for the duration of the war, according to an announcement today. It will create a new department for the administration of the mines, headed by Guy Calthorp, now general manager of the London and Northwestern Railway, as controller.

TO INVESTIGATE GOVERNOR.

TEXAS HEAD UNDER FIRE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Feb. 14.—A resolution was introduced in the Texas Senate today by Senator Johnson asking for appointment of a committee to investigate the official acts of Gov. James E. Ferguson. The resolution charges the Governor has violated Supreme Court decisions and the State Constitution; that members of the boards of certain educational institutions have been forced to resign; that politics has been injected into the management of the State university and the State insane asylum and that special interests supplied funds with which the Governor paid his campaign expenses in 1914.

WOUDD HAVE PEACE CONGRESS

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A joint resolution inviting members of all the legislative bodies in the world to meet in the United States at a place and time to be fixed by the American Congress to consider the promotion of peace was introduced today by Senator Robinson and referred to the Foreign Relations Committee.

Aviators Active.

AIRPLANES IN WAR ZONE FIGHT, BOMB AND KILL.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—A dispatch from Bruges, Belgium, to the Overseas News Agency says that sixteen children were killed last Saturday by bombs dropped by British aviators in a crowd of skaters.

AIR RAIDERS ACTIVE.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—Three civilians were injured and a small amount of damage was caused by the recent raid on Karlsruhe by French aviators, says the Overseas News Agency.

German aviators on February 10 dropped 7300 pounds of explosives on a railway station at Amiens, setting fire to the building, and 3300 pounds on the station at Aveluy. Raids were made at several other points behind the French lines. A French biplane was shot down in the vicinity of Differdingen, causing the death of the occupants, Lieut. Lautiron and Corp. Fourgerot.

BOMBS DAMAGE BRIDGE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 5:30 p.m.—The Admiralty announces that British naval airplanes on February 10 dropped bombs near the Yenikeui bridge in Asia Minor on the Mediterranean coast. Considerable damage was caused to the permanent thoroughfare south of the bridge.

RAIDS BY AUSTRIANS.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 13 (via Sayville.)—The following communication from the Austrian Admiralty was given out here today:

"On the afternoon of February 11 a group of our seaplanes undertook a successful reconnoitering raid at Avlona (Albania,) Santi Quaranta and Corfu. Another group of seaplanes in the early morning hours of February 12 attacked torpedo boats and military objects at Brindisi (in Italy on the Adriatic.) Hits were obtained with bombs All the seaplanes returned undamaged.

BRITISH BOMB SHIPPING.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 9 p.m. — The British Admiralty announces that British naval airplanes have effectively bombed shipping in the harbor of Bruges, Belgium, and brought down a hostile airplane.

Break Complete.

BERNSTORFF OFF FOR HOME

German Ambassador and His Staff are on High Seas.

Thanks Nation for Courtesy Shown to His Party.

Final Interview Defends His Country's War Course.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HOBOKEN (N. J.) Feb. 14.—Count J. H. von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States, sailed for home today aboard the Scandinavian-American liner Frederik VIII. With him was the Countess von Bernstorff and nearly 200 German diplomatic and consular officials. The departure, which completes the severance of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany, was marred by no untoward incident.

Before the steamer departed at 4 o'clock the former Ambassador held a final conference with Minister Ritter of Switzerland, who assumed charge of German interests in this country.

GIFTS ARE MANY.

Count von Bernstorff, his wife and other members of his suite received several wagonloads of flowers and bon-voyage gifts. The Ambassador was so appreciative that he sent ashore a signed statement through Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port of New York, in which he said:

"I cannot refrain from a last expression to the American people [illegible] the wealth of flowers and gifts sent to the Countess and myself. It is hard to tell of the good will [illegible] both. No expression of [illegible] would be adequate to speak [illegible] fectionate farewell."

There was many a German [illegible] aboard the Frederik VIII who sailed away with tears in his eyes. The Ambassador himself, deeply affected, remained away from the rest of the party as much as he could in the excitement which usually precedes the sailing of a great liner. There were others in the party who tried to do the same thing. Some went immediately to their staterooms as soon as they had boarded the ship this morning and remained there until sailing time. Others walked off the deck for a final stroll on American soil.

As the ship moved away from her dock the New Jersey shore was dotted with persons who had been waiting to see the liner depart.

From the war-bound German liners close at hand signal flags fluttered, spelling out their farewell. Handkerchiefs were waved from the decks of the ship, and those on shore saw the Count and Countess von Bernstorff emerge from a [illegible] with Prince Hatzfeld, former counsellor of the Embassy, and his wife. All four leaned far over the rail and waved at persons they knew standing on the dock.

TRAFFIC SALUTES.

Several tugs blew shrill blasts with their whistles. The whistle of the Frederik VIII responded. The ship straightened out in the stream and headed for the bay, accompanied by a police boat.

At 5:30 o'clock, an hour and a half after leaving Hoboken, Count von Bernstorff had his last view of the shores of America when the Frederik VIII passed Sandy Hook and swung into the Atlantic.

TELLS HIS VIEWS.

Before he boarded the steamer Count von Bernstorff expressed to a representative of the Associated Press his personal views on the German submarine operations, the possibility of the United States being drawn into the war, his willingness to retire from active life, and doubts he held about reaching Germany in safety.

Discussing the neutrality of the American people, he said: "Naturally a person's sympathies are with [illegible] he does business," and defended Germany from the charge of being a violator of the rights of humanity or the principles of international law, by asking first whether it was humane for England, by her blockade, to "try to starve out the noncombatant population—German women and babies," and by calling attention to an American note which declared the British blockade to be illegal and indefensible."

On the possibility of averting war the former Ambassador said he considered that "to be conditional on Germany being able to bring the Entente to its knees before anything happens to involve the United States." He was emphatic in declaring that the "submarine campaign is bound to increase in intensity as the weather gets warmer."

DELAY AT HALIFAX.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The Frederik VIII, carrying Von Bernstorff and other German [illegible] back to Germany, will be held in Halifax for examination [illegible] a week, and perhaps two, in the opinion of British officials here. The task of examining a ship of [illegible] with nearly 700 passengers, [illegible] crew and big cargo space, in a harbor unprepared for the work, is expected to present a hard problem, but it is declared that no possibility will be left that the steamer may carry any [k]ind of contraband.

British officials are especially fearful that rubber may have been smuggled aboard the steamer in some disguised form.

PLAGUE SWEEPING RUSSIAN PROVINCE.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—Reports of an epidemic in Rostov-on-the-Don have been published in Russian newspapers, according to information received in Copenhagen, says the Overseas News Agency. "Despite the deletions of the censor, it is evident that the plague has spread through the whole government of Yekaterinoslav, and has caused the death of a tremendous number of victims. Physicians are unable to identify the plague. The bodies of its victims are covered with boils."

Don't Cough.

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Washington.

ARMY TRAINING BILL IS READY.

General Staff Wants Year of Work for Everybody.

Department will Give Plan to Country for Debate.

Baker may Ask Congress for Vote on Scheme.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A detailed plan for establishment of a national policy of universal military training and service was laid before Secretary Baker today by the Army General Staff. It differs radically from that provided for in the Chamberlain bill, favorably reported today by the Senate Military Committee, in that a full year of training would be required as the absolute minimum. The Senate bill is based on six months training.

The staff bill was submitted to [illegible] the thirty-six members of [illegible] body and represents the consensus of their opinion. It is understood to have been worked out in greater detail that the Senate [bill] which leaves wide departmental [authority] to prescribe regulations. Secretary Baker has indicated that the recommendations of the staff will be made public later even in the event that the plan does not receive the administration's approval, so that it can serve as a basis for discussion before the country after the adjournment of Congress and can be compared with the Senate plan. Advocates of universal service have urged that a referendum be taken and public sentiment has been sounded on the question.

In numerous public addresses Secretary Baker has made references to [military] service which have been construed by some army officers as an indorsement of some such system. Neither he nor President Wilson has definitely committed himself.

The staff and Senate bills now [illegible] many officials believe the [question] will be given serious consideration at the White House, particularly in view of strained international relations. There has been [talk] that the matter would be made a definite issue before the [adjournment] of Congress, but it is pointed out by advocates of such [a plan] that if the President [should recommend] passage of a universal service bill the present Congress could hardly avoid a vote on [it].

PATENTS GRANTED TO CALIFORNIANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Patents were granted Californians today as follows: [illegible] H. Allison, Glendale, [illegible] protection; Henry J. [illegible] H. Van Wie, San Francisco, [motor]cycle support; Robert A. [illegible], Oakland, lymph gland extractor and making same; Viletta A. [illegible], San Luis Obispo, spoon [illegible]; William H. Buckingham, [illegible], and H. S. Johnson, [illegible], railway truck and drive [illegible] also worm drive for railway trucks; Joseph A. Buttress, [illegible], curve scriber.

[illegible] Caldwell, Los Angeles, [illegible] valve; Robert M. and L. [illegible], Los Angeles, automatic [illegible] gate; Sylvester [illegible], San Jose, two-cycle internal-combustion engine; Charles N. Cox, [illegible], dirigible headlight; Carl [illegible], Sacramento, coupling; [illegible] C. Fagerie, Modesto, electric [illegible] furnace; Robert H. [illegible], Pasadena, elevator signal; [illegible] W. Gruber, San Bernardino, [illegible]; Lucien R. Gruss, San [illegible], air spring; Edward T. [illegible], San Diego, baby holding attachment for vehicles.

[illegible] C. Hightower, Eureka, [re]tainer or plug for metallic [illegible]; William Hill, San Francisco, [illegible]; [illegible] L. Gardella, Oroville, distilling apparatus; Martha L. Hunt [illegible] B. Church, San Francisco, [illegible] for commercial phonographs; Richard S. Irvine, San Francisco, combination piano and organ [illegible]; William P. Jackson, [illegible] control system; Howard [illegible], Los Angeles, guide card; [illegible] Jorgensen, South Berkeley, [illegible]; Toraki Kitaoka, [illegible] signal apparatus for automobiles; John A. Koontz, Jr., Palo [Alto], [illegible] conductor insulating [illegible]; Joseph H. Leal, San Francisco, [illegible] for arousing sleepers; [illegible] E. Marlatt, Pasadena, pig [illegible] apparatus for linotype machines.

[illegible] S. Marsh, San Francisco, control valve; Olemedo, [illegible], violin mute operator; [illegible] Payne, Santa Barbara, automatic [illegible] signal; Robert D. Pike, San [Francisco], carbon electrode and [illegible]; [illegible] Crow, San Diego, invalid's [illegible] and making same; Anna R. Potts, [illegible]; Louis P. Rothford, [illegible]; James W. Rumsey, [illegible], car door, also door [illegible] for cars, also boxcar door [illegible]; Mary H. Struewe, Los Angeles, [illegible] pitcher; Hart H. Tobener, [illegible], quartz mill; Edward [illegible], [illegible], knife sharpener; [illegible] Twining, Pasadena, cam-[illegible] device; Perry J. Walker, [Los] Angeles, pump plunger; [illegible] B. West, Martinez, electric [illegible]; John E. Warman, Riverside, [illegible] indicator for automobiles.

[KEEP] POSTAL TUBES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

[WASHI]NGTON, Feb. 14.—Retention of the pneumatic tube postal [service] in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and St. Louis was [voted] by the Senate today, 45 [to] [illegible], a provision in the postoffice [bill] to abolish the [service] recommended by the Postmaster-General was eliminated.

[THAW'S] CONDITION STILL BAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[illegible], Feb. 14.—The District Attorney's office received today [word from] Gov. Brumbaugh of [illegible] saying the condition [of Harry K.] Thaw was still serious. [He said] that any action here be [deferred] until Thaw was [removed from] the hospital in Philadelphia. [Thaw is] under indictment [illegible] with the alleged [assault on] Fred Gump, [illegible] City youth, on Christ[mas].

GERMAN DESERTERS ORGANIZE IN HOLLAND.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALKMAAR (Netherlands) Jan. 30.—A society of German deserters has just been formed here. The projected name of "Teutonia" was rejected and it was finally resolved to adopt the name of the "Free Workers' Society of Deserters."

It is announced that the society's membership is open to deserters of any foreign nationality, but at present only German deserters actually arrive in Holland, where they are now numbered by the hundred. With a view to fulfilling the society's special object, that of helping to set new arrivals on their feet, a contribution of ten American cents a week was fixed on, while it was stated that a number of employers of labor had already applied to the society for workmen of different trades.

Election is Over.

CONGRESS DECIDES WILSON IS WINNER.

BUT JIM O'LEARY HOLDS BACK ON CHICAGO BETS.

Last Legal Steps Follow Popular Vote of November—Inauguration All that Remains—Then the Cautious Wager Holder will Pay off in Windy City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Congress today completed the legislative formalities carrying into effect the will of the voters expressed last November and officially declared Woodrow Wilson, President, and Thomas R. Marshall, Vice-President, re-elected. At a joint session of the Senate and House the sealed vote was canvassed by States, with the usual quadriennial ceremony, and the result of the balloting of the Electoral College, once the deciding factor in Presidential contests, but in recent years only a perfunctory means of ratifying the popular voice, was entered formally on the official records. The count showed 277 votes for the Democratic nominees and 254 for Hughes and Fairbanks.

The proceeding reflected only in a mild degree the partisan enthusiasm of the doubtful days following election day in November. Announcement of California's thirteen votes for Wilson brought an outburst of approval from the Democrats, and there was applause on the Republican side when Connecticut returned the first votes for Hughes.

Mrs. Wilson, wife of the President, watched the ceremony from the executive gallery, and Secretaries McAdoo, Baker and Daniels and Postmaster-General Burleson were in the Cabinet box. It fell to Representative Mapes, a Republican, to read the California returns.

PAY ELECTION BETS LATER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Jim O'Leary, Chicago's unofficial betting commissioner, proposes to make doubly sure in settling election bets. Following unofficial returns indicating that Wilson had been elected O'Leary said that he would "pay off" when the Electoral College had voted on the nation's Chief Executive. After this body had met O'Leary said bets would not be paid until Congress had canvassed the electoral vote. This was done today.

"Will election bets be paid now?" he was asked.

"No, not until inauguration takes place," was the answer.

"Why?"

"Because that is the rule."

"Whose rule?"

"My rule."

O'Leary was told that certain persons with bets ranging from a few dollars to $4000 feared that they never will collect.

"They don't need to be afraid," he said, "they'll get their money when the time comes. I know there is no chance of anybody but Wilson being President now, but I don't take any chances."

O'Leary is said to be holding $500,000 in election bets. He is said to have drawn $10,000 in interest on the money.

HOLLAND TO CALL 1918 CLASS IN JULY.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

THE HAGUE (Netherlands) January 30.—A bill has been introduced in the Second Chamber, empowering the government to hasten the calling up of the 1918 militia levy, and to make a start with the training of these young men of 18 and 19 years of age as early as July, next. In order to obtain every man possible, the Minister for War, Maj.-Gen. Bosboom, proposes to suspend the normal grounds of exemption. The 1917 militia levy, and the 1909 and 1908 landsturm classes are being called to the colors in the next month or two, all this in pursuance of the policy of relieving the troops who have been under arms since August, 1914, and at the same time adding as rapidly as possible to the country's reserve of trained men.

WAR ADDS NOISES TO PARIS STREETS.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Noisier streets will be one of the war's legacies to Paris. The municipal paving block factory at Grenelle ran out of raw material long ago and has been unable to get a new supply. Most of the pine used for the purpose came from Norway and Sweden. The department of the Landes furnishes some, but not in sufficient quantities. Consequently, worn-out wood block pavements are being replaced by granite blocks, which, under the wheels of heavy motor vehicles, add wracking and far resounding notes to the noise of Paris.

WILLS BIRD PRESERVE.

English Peer Bequeaths Interest in Big Estate.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Jan. 30. — Under the will of the late Lord Lucas, land and premises in Norwolk have been bequeathed to the Hon. Ivor Grenfell. This property of 3000 acres was acquired ten years ago by Lord Lucas, Viscount Grey, Hon. E. S. Montague and Mr. B. Russell, all keenly interested in bird life, in order to provide protection for rarer kinds of birds. Elaborate precautions have been taken to preserve from disturbance some young birds of a very rare species and careful study is made of the habits of the colony of birds on the estate by the head keeper and others in the employ of these bird lovers.

Americans Move.

(Continued from First Page.)

the newest Mexican border situation today. Interest in Mexican border affairs shifted suddenly from the contemplated Villa attack on Juarez to the operations of Salazar and his mounted force that has moved into the country opposite the Gadsden Purchase in Western Chihuahua.

COWBOYS CAPTURED.

Following the raid on the Corner Ranch yesterday, which is located on the American side of the boundary, sixty miles southeast of Hachita, N. M., Salazar's forces occupied Ojitos, taking prisoners nine Mexican cowboys and windmill tenders, together with "Bunk" Spencer, an American negro employed by E. K. Warren & Sons, according to reports received here late today. No one was killed when Salazar occupied Ojitos, according to the telegrams received by American cattlemen.

A demand for $5000 ransom was made upon Bob Morehead, ranch overseer for the Warren interests, and forwarded from Hachita to E. K. Warren at Three Oaks, Mich., it was said here tonight. Reports from Hachita said Warren had instructed Morehead to protect Spencer and had ordered the payment of the ransom, but agents for Warren interests here said tonight they had strongly urged that the ransom be refused.

The three Americans, Andrew P. Peterson, Burton Jensen and Hugh Acord, were believed to be tonight at Ojitos, held for the payment of large ransoms.

SALAZAR REINFORCED.

Salazar was said to have been joined at Ojitos by Prudencio Miranda and his band which raided the Corner Ranch yesterday, according to advices from Hachita. Fear that the men might be executed by Salazar's men were expressed by friends of the Mormon cowboys here tonight.

Reports were in circulation here during the day that American cavalry troops had crossed the border line into Mexico in pursuit of the bandits, but this was not confirmed. Two troops of the Twelfth United States Cavalry went to the border today, but are not believed to have crossed. There are also troops at Dog Springs, Cienegas and at Alamo Hueco, near the boundary.

Salazar is believed to have moved into Western Chihuahua in order to represent Francisco Villa at a conference scheduled to be held soon somewhere south of Hachita in Mexico, according to a reliable report received here. Delegates from Gov. Esteban Cantu of Lower California, Villa partisans in Sonora, a representative of the Villa junta in El Paso and Salazar, representing Villa, are scheduled to hold a meeting on the Mexican side of the line within the next week, according to the same source.

Among other things to be considered at this conference is the selection of a provisional President for the revolutionary government which it is said is to be organized. Miguel Diaz Lombardo, a former Villa Cabinet officer, was said here to have been practically agreed upon for this position.

ON THE MEXICAN SIDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Feb. 14.—The four American cowboys captured by Mexican rebels below Hachita, N. M., were on the Mexican side of the line when caught, and their captors at no time crossed into American territory, according to a report received late today by Andres Garcia, inspector-general of Mexican Consulates, from an agent sent to investigate. The investigation showed that the Americans had not been scrupulous about keeping on their own territory in rounding up stray cattle, Mr. Garcia said, while the rebels had remained strictly on their own side of the line.

MURGUIA LEAVES.

Gen. Jose Murguia left Juarez late today for Casas Grandes with a force of 500 men. It was said at headquarters that he intended to strike after the Salazar band and run the rebels out of the territory recently evacuated by the American expedition.

News was received also that Gen. Francisco Murguia, commander-in-chief of Chihuahua, had effected a junction in Southern Chihuahua with Gen. Manuel M. Dieguez at a point between Jimenez and Escalon. Gen. Dieguez is said to have brought 3000 men with him and to have left 9000 behind at Torreon.

Mexican officials here express the opinion that the new phase of the campaign will bring about the final downfall of Villa. At least, they claim that the government is thoroughly in earnest, and has given its two most energetic commanders every facility it commands in the way of men and material.

Gen. Murguia announced today he would lead the command in person and would take 500 men into the field with him. The troops will go by train to Guzman and from there toward Casas Grandes overland, as the bridges have all been burned south of Guzman.

Telegraphic reports received at military headquarters from Casas Grandes and intermediate points along the Mexico Northwestern Railway say the Villa followers have left and have moved into the district recently occupied by Gen. Pershing's troops north of Casas Grandes, and west of the Northwestern railroad line.

MAY RAID SONORA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Feb. 14.—Villa forces, according to an official message received in Agua Prieta today from an outpost, are in position to raid Sonora. At the headquarters of Gen. Francisco R. Serrano this possibility was ridiculed.

Gen. Serrano, accompanied by a battalion of artillery, arrived at Agua Prieta during the day and established his temporary headquarters. Messages from the expeditionary force under Gens. Chavez, Sobarzo and Gomez stated that the advance guard was near Colonia Morelos, fifty-six miles southeast of Agua Prieta, and near Pulpito Pass.

The Sonora force will content itself for the present with garrisoning small towns near the Chihuahua border and holding the pass, it was stated today in Agua Prieta.

TROOPS HAVEN'T CROSSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HACHITA (N. M.) Feb. 14.—American troops have not yet crossed the border in pursuit of Mexican raiders who kidnaped three Mormon cowboys Monday, it was announced tonight.

Additional details of the raid on the Nogales camp, south of the border February 10, have been received here. Provisions, mules, horses and wagons were taken by the raiders, and ten horses were killed. The raiders, believed to be a part of Salazar's command, came from the vicinity of Jamos, Mex., and went west from the Nogales camp.

Lieut.-Col. J. C. Waterman, commanding a squadron of the Twelfth United States Cavalry, on this sector of the border, has dispatched two troops of cavalry to the border from Hachita to make a search for the missing Americans. Asked if he would follow a "hot trail" across the border, Lieut.-Col. Waterman said he was under orders from his superior officers and would await developments before acting.

DE BACA'S MESSAGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DEMING (N. M.) Feb. 14.—Gov. E. C. de Baca sent a message here to A. C. Petersen, father of Andrew P. Petersen, being held by Mexican raiders in Mexico, saying he had urged Col. H. G. Sickel, the commander at Columbus, "to vigorously prosecute the search for the missing Americans." This was in answer to an appeal which the father made to Gov. De Baca, Gen. Pershing and Gen. Bell last night.

Colonial.

TO HASTEN PAY FOR DANISH ISLES.

EXPORT DUTY ON SUGAR TO UNITED STATES PLANNED.

Bills in Congress Provide Cash for Denmark, Keep Present Government in Authority and Authorize President to Name New Governor.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Urged by the administration to hasten legislation providing for the payment of $25,000,000 for the Danish West Indies and the creation of a provisional American government on the islands, committees of both the Senate and the House today voted approval of measures for that purpose. The House committee favorably reported a bill drafted at the State Department which would appropriate the $25,000,000 and authorize continuance of the present government until otherwise provided by Congress.

On the Senate side, the Foreign Relations Committee approved a new bill prepared by Chairman Stone and Senators Lodge and Hitchcock to empower the President to set up a government, make regulations and name officials, including a Governor, to be confirmed by the Senate. Appointment of a commission to investigate and report on the need of the people in the newly-acquired territory would be authorized.

The bills probably will be consolidated in conference after both houses have acted.

The House bill puts an export duty an sugar produced in the island whether to the United States or to any other country.

GERMANY EXPANDS COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

BERLIN, Jan. 30.—Notwithstanding that the two great war loans of 1916 absorbed over 21,000,000,000 marks, more capital also went into German commercial companies than in 1915. The total amount absorbed by new and old companies was 616,800,000 marks. This was 148,000,000 more than for 1915, but it was 529,000,000 less than for 1913. The new concerns established last year were chiefly of the war industry class; and this is also true of capital increases by existing companies.

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Mrs. Nellie Filer	300.00
Hollis Eubanks	245.00
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THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Frigid Weather Still Clings to Minnesota and Michigan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The frigid weather which gripped the Middle West for ten days still clings to Michigan and Minnesota. Escanaba, Mich., reported 6 below zero last night, although the temperature rose some today. Alpena and Sault Ste. Marie, in the same State, also had below-zero temperature. In Chicago the minimum was 17 above, with a maximum of 32 above. The snowstorm that was forecasted last night failed to materialize, although Michigan, Wisconsin and Northern Indiana reported a heavy fall.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Boise, Idaho	40	22
Bonita, Cal.	..	44
Boston, Mass.	32	18
Buffalo, N. Y.	20	14
Calgary, Alberta, Can.	48	30
Chicago, Ill.	32	18
Corona, Cal.	..	30
Denver, Colo.	32	24
Des Moines, Iowa	44	18
Dodge City, Kan.	32	24
Duluth, Minn.	26	*2
Durango, Colo.	38	22
Escondido, Cal.	..	38
Eureka, Cal.	50	42
Flagstaff, Ariz.	36	10
Fresno, Cal.	60	42
Galveston, Tex.	68	56
Havre, Mont.	38	20
Helena, Mont.	..	28
Huron, S. D.	34	14
Jacksonville, Fla.	70	58
Kamloops, B. C.	36	20
Kansas City, Mo.	38	22
Knoxville, Tenn.	48	36
Los Angeles, Cal.	61	47
Memphis, Tenn.	46	42
Modena, Utah	34	22
Montreal, Quebec, Can.	14	*2
Moorhead, Minn.	30	4
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	30
Needles, Cal.	68	46
New Orleans, La.	74	54
New York, N. Y.	36	18
North Head, Wash.	42	38
North Platte, Neb.	46	14
Omaha, Neb.	44	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	38
Phoenix, Ariz.	64	44
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36	24
Pomona, Cal.	..	40
Portland, Or.	46	40
Rapid City, S. D.	42	20
Red Bluff, Cal.	72	50
Redlands, Cal.	..	30
Reno, Nev.	50	24
Riverside, Cal.	..	42
Roseburg, Or.	50	38
Roswell, N. M.	42	32
St. Louis, Mo.	40	24
St. Paul, Minn.	30	6
Sacramento, Cal.	72	40
Salt Lake City, Utah	32	24
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	48
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	35
San Diego, Cal.	58	52
San Fernando, Cal.	..	30
San Francisco, Cal.	68	44
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	60	40
Seattle, Wash.	42	38
Sheridan, Wyo.	26	18
Spokane, Wash.	36	32
Swift Current, Sask.	26	14
Tampa, Fla.	74	56
Tonopah, Nev.	36	20
Tucson, Ariz.	..	38
Tustin, Cal.	..	38
Washington, D. C.	48	24
Williston, N. D.	24	16
Winnemucca, Nev.	42	20
Winnipeg, Man.	24	6
Yuma, Ariz.	70	46

*Below zero.

Valedictory.

WORK OF HOOVER LAUDED BY CECIL.

BELGIAN RELIEF MONUMENT TO AMERICAN ENTERPRISE.

Minister of Blockade Expresses Great Appreciation of Task of Organizers in Feeding Conquered Population for Two Years and in Overcoming Difficulties.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—On the occasion of the withdrawal of Americans of the Commission for Relief in Belgium and Northern France, Lord Robert Cecil, who in his capacity as Minister of Blockade has been brought into intimate contact with Belgian relief operations, declared in a statement to the Associated Press today that Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the commission, and his colleagues would leave behind them in Europe a reputation which the United States could count on as a national possession in future years.

"The withdrawal of the Americans from participation in the work of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, and Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador here, and Brand Whitlock, American Minister to Belgium, as patrons of the commission will be very sincerely regretted by the Entente allied governments," said Lord Robert. "The commission still goes on in the hands of its other neutral members, but you know how the organization of the relief commission, both here and at Rotterdam and in Belgium and Northern France, was created by, and in practice depended upon, Mr. Hoover and his American colleagues, who for more than two years have sacrificed every personal interest to this great humanitarian enterprise.

ALWAYS ON THE JOB.

"It is they who have dealt daily, hourly, with the Foreign Office here, with the German authorities in Brussels and with the German headquarters in Northern France. They have been constant intermediaries in a series of most arduous international negotiations, and it is they who have built up the elaborate system of guarantees which made the continuance of the work possible for twenty-eight months and which stands today as a bulwark between the Belgian people and the invaders.

"Now I am not going to pay any tribute to their business organization or their efficiency, as wonderful as these things have been. The mere fact that for twenty-eight months they have kept alive 10,000,000 people without a serious hitch in the machinery of purchase, transport and distribution shows what their organization has been. But this any observer can judge as well as I.

THE FIRST PROPOSAL.

"What I do want to say is this: When the first proposals were made in October, 1914, for the importation of foodstuffs into Belgium after the fall of Antwerp those proposals were directly counter to the very ordinary dictates of military prudence. The natural feeling of the people here was, and long continued to be, that the Germans were in complete control of Belgium and how could a dozen or two neutrals safeguard the supplies imported. It was only with great anxieties and misgivings that we consented to allow the importations and I sometimes doubt whether the proposal ever would have been made or our consent given if we had known how long the work would have to last or the extent to which it would grow.

"Yet, in spite of this, the work has gone on uninterruptedly for twenty-eight months and has grown from small beginnings into an undertaking which may literally be called gigantic. Now, the only thing which has made this possible has been the absolute confidence which Mr. Hoover and his colleagues inspired in the allied governments.

POSITION DIFFICULT.

"They have been in a most difficult position and they have borne the heaviest responsibilities that could possibly fall to the lot of neutrals, but there has been absolute frankness in their discussions, and their energy in carrying out their undertaking led us to rely absolutely upon their word and upon their ability.

"How high a tribute this was no one can perhaps understand who has not had actual experience of war conditions. But the American people may be confident that these American citizens leave behind them in Europe a reputation which, if I may say so, America may count on as a national possession in future years.

"I do not speak of the financial help which the American people have given for relief, because this is a sort of farewell speech, and I am sure that, while we must say farewell to the American directors in this work, we need not do so to the American interest in the work. On the contrary, I am sure the American people will take pride in competing with the allied nations in giving financial support to the great enterprise with which the name of America must forever remain associated."

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What's Up?

PAPER MEN MEET TRADE COMMISSION.

MANUFACTURERS GO TO CAPITAL UNANNOUNCED.

Strong Indications Seen that Subjects at Conference Bear Close Relationship to Activities of Federal Grand Jury in New York Inquiry.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—News-print paper manufacturers came here unannounced today to confer with the Federal Trade Commission concerning the government investigation of their industry. Their conferences will continue tomorrow.

Neither the manufacturers nor officials would hint today at what is under discussion, but there was a strong indication that the subjects considered bear close relation to the activities of a Federal grand jury in New York, which has been asked by the Department of Justice to bring indictments against the manufacturers, charging violation of anti-trust laws. All evidence gathered by the Trade Commission that would indicate trade restraint has been turned over to the Justice Department.

The Trade Commission in its investigation of the news-print situation has directed its efforts largely toward bringing manufacturers and newspaper publishers together in an arrangement that would give all publishers enough paper at prices less prohibitive than now obtained. Any agreement so worked out would have to be of an unofficial character, as the Trade Commission has no price-fixing powers.

Francis J. Heney is directing that part of the Trade Commission's investigation that has to do with allegations of violation of the laws. His work will be continued, it has been announced, after the commission makes a preliminary report to Congress, probably the last of this week.

Long Beach.

WIRE TELEGRAM TO SENATOR PHELAN.

SHIPBUILDING COMPANY ANALYZES SITUATION.

Points Out that Unions are Demanding so Much of Pacific Coast Builders that it is Impossible to Meet Eastern Competition.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 14.—The California Shipbuilding Company today sent the following long telegram to Senator Phelan regarding the present naval bill which is pending before Congress:

"We understand the naval bill before the Senate committee provides eighteen submarines of 800 tons each at $1,200,000 each, which ought to be increased to at least $1,400,000 each, plus say 2 per cent. extra for each month delivery less than thirty, if it is desired to construct any on the Pacific, because Pacific construction of all classes of vessels costs from 6 to 10 per cent. more than Atlantic on account of higher costs of labor, materials and freight, which alone exceeds Atlantic by $15 per ton on steel.

"If smaller submarines are also authorized there must be plus differential appropriated specifically of at least 6 per cent., otherwise it is an economic impossibility to build by a Pacific private shipyard.

"We are building five coast defense submarines, but recently rejected an award of three more because of economic imprudence to attempt to meet views of union under appropriations available.

"Our shipyard has been picketed since May by strikers who want union recognition and more money, which is an economic impossibility under appropriations made by Congress.

"It would be injustice to commandeer our shipyard if we reject awards under appropriations proposed and we believe it fair to ask proper consideration of the economic situation incident to which we understand bill carries an extra navy yards appropriation of $12,000,000 which can be used indirectly to drive private shipyards out of government business unless they meet the uneconomic demands of the union, which claims in writing to dominate Congress, departments, and an ability to divert work to navy yards unless we meet impossible demands.

"If submarine base is to be established at San Pedro it seems of strategic importance to have a submarine building specialty shipyard like ours near. Kindley refer this to the committee and Senators and try to do the needful and keep the Pacific Coast States a part of the Union through adequate appropriations for its defense, especially by submarines."

Checked.

"LEAK" INQUIRY STRIKES NEW SNAG.

DEALINGS THROUGH "DUMMIES" CANNOT BE TRACED.

Brokers Deny Having Handled Orders for Officials—Committee Decides to Close Public Hearings and Work Hereafter Through Subcommittees.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—After an executive session tonight of the Congressional committee investigating the "leak" on President Wilson's peace note to the belligerent powers, it was announced that the committee expects to close its public hearings tomorrow. Further work to be done by a subcommittee, it was stated, will consist of the examination of brokers' statements of business done for customers during the period under investigation.

This decision by the committee created surprise, as it had been expected public hearings would be continued here all week. In case anything is discovered by the subcommittee to warrant reopening of the public hearings, that will be done, it was stated, for the committee. It is not expected, however, that further public hearings will be necessary.

There is no way to learn the names of officials who may have dealt in the stock market under other persons' names unless the "dummies" themselves come forward and give the information, the committee was told at its hearing today. The main purpose of the inquiry here, the committee has announced, was to get at officials if there are any who have been profiting by advance information as to impending acts of the government.

Broker after broker was put on the stand today and asked whether there were any persons in official life at Washington among their customers and each one said there was none. Late in the session Representative Philip P. Campbell asked L. V. Sterling of Logan & Bryan whether the lists of customers would reveal speculating officials.

"You might have the name of every customer of every broker in the United States and not discover such officials if they were dealing through a third party whose name alone appears as the customer," Mr. Sterling said.

"Is there any way of finding out if any officials are dealing?" asked Mr. Campbell.

"No way that I know of unless such customers whose names do appear and who may be trading for an unknown party come forward and divulge his name," Mr. Sterling said.

DENIES TUMULTY TIP.

The name of Joseph P. Tumulty, President Wilson's Secretary, was again brought into the inquiry when James B. Regan, hotel proprietor here, was asked the direct question whether during a visit of Mr. Tumulty here, December 17 and 18, he gave Mr. Regan any hint as to the prospective peace note.

"Positively not. I wish he had," replied Mr. Regan, [illegible] that he had no [illegible] Tumulty re[illegible] ington, M[illegible] that h[illegible] in U[illegible] "le[illegible] [illegible] th[illegible] M[illegible] was [illegible] The [illegible] ber of [illegible] ton and [illegible] to appear be[illegible] tive consideration [illegible] Mr. Whipple announced such a step would not be taken. He added that Mr. Hutton and Mr. Barrett were the only persons who could straighten out the matter, and that the responsibility rested with them as to whether their house could afford to leave the subject as it is.

Unless they appeared, he said, the committee was free to make what deductions it could from all the circumstances and so report to Congress. Mr. Ellis said he would attempt to get in touch with his associates.

NAME COMMISSARY FOR ALIMENTATION.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—The Prussian Cabinet has resolved to appoint a special commissary for alimentation during the period of the war, says the Overseas News Agency. This commissary will have the rank of a minister and will work in close co-operation with the German war alimentation office.

MAY OFFER PRIZES TO SINK SUBMARINES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The German submarine campaign has so far been ineffective, according to Marcel Hutin, editor of the Echo de Paris. As proof M. Hutin says that on Monday 112 French or neutral ships entered French ports.

A prize of 500,000 francs for the crew of any French, allied or neutral vessel which succeeds in destroying an attacking submarine is provided for in a resolution introduced in the Chamber of Deputies today by Andre Lefevre.

AMERICAN'S WOUNDS ARE FOUND SLIGHT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 14.—James Weygard is the only one of the three Americans in the crew of the British steamship Saxonian, sunk by a German submarine, who was wounded. Weygard's wounds, caused by a shell splinter, are slight.

London newspapers reported this morning that another American besides Weygard was wounded.

Classified Real Estate advertisements in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturday.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope.

Pedagogy.

PUPILS ABSORB WISDOM BY TON

Text-books Sent Out in January Number 127,590.

All Subjects Go to All Classes of Students.

High Cost of Paper Delays New Eighth Reader.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14. — Free text-books to the total number of 127,590 were distributed to public school pupils in all portions of the State during January, according to figures given out today by William W. Dyas, book-keeper in office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction Edward Hyatt, who is in charge of the text-book shipments. This was the largest shipment of books to be made in any one month since January, 1914, when 129,000 text-books were distributed. The texts distributed this year included all subjects and went to pupils of all grades, states Dyas.

Because of the high cost of paper and increased cost of other materials, the State Board of Education has decided to forego its plan for the publication of an eighth grade reader at this time. The board feels that by indefinitely delaying the publication of the new book, they can save thousands of dollars. At the present time there is no eighth grade reader in the California public schools. As there never has been one, the decision not to print the book at this time will not work any hardship on the students. The new fourth-grade reader is expected to be ready by July 1.

FORESEES "DRY" NATION.

Hobson Tells Illinois Legislature Referendum is Right of People.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 14.—Richmond P. Hobson, former Congressman, in an address before the House of the Illinois Legislature in behalf of a prohibition bill today, declared it was "inevitable that America should become dry or decay."

"There are two States, however, that we already have discounted," he added. "They are New York and Pennsylvania. They will not vote dry. But that does not mean that we will not be successful."

Mr. Hobson declared that whether or not the members of the House believed in the bill, it was not within their rights to deny the people of Illinois a referendum on the measure.

[illegible]ISS REPRESENT [illegible]USTRIA IN FRANCE.

[BY ATLANTIC CA]BLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EX[CLUSI]VE DISPATCH.]

[illegible] 14.—By orders of [illegible] government, the [illegible] here has made [illegible] to transfer the [Austr]o-Hungarian af[fairs to] the Swiss Lega[tion.] Sharp made in[quiry at the For]eign Office, and [illegible] a move was ac[illegible]nch authorities. [illegible]een made at the [illegible] transfer with[out] notice is received.

[illegible]DICTED.

[illegible]ty Leaders of In[diana Citi]es Included.

[BY A.] P. DAY WIRE.]

[INDIANA]POLIS, Feb. 14.—Five [illegible] naming approximately [illegible]tical leaders and supporters [illegible] cities in Indiana, were re[tur]ned here today by the Federal grand jury, which has been investigating alleged election frauds in the State since November 18. Federal Judge A. B. Anderson did not discharge the grand jury after its report.

The names of those indicted will not be made public until after the arrests are made.

It is understood that two of the indictments are against residents of Evansville, one against Republicans and one against Democrats. One of the indictments is said to name Republicans at Gary and another is directed against residents of Frankfort. The fifth indictment, it is understood, is against Indianapolis politicians.

WASHINGTON PASSES "BONE DRY" BILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Feb. 14.—The "bone dry" bill prohibiting the importation or sale of alcoholic liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal or mechanical purposes, which recently passed the House, passed the Senate today and now goes to the Governor for his signature. Only three votes were cast against the measure in the Senate. If the referendum is not invoked against the enactment, it will go into effect June 10.

SOUTH DAKOTA DRY BILL PASSES HOUSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PIERRE (S. D.) Feb. 14.—A "bone dry" prohibition bill was passed by the South Dakota House late today by a vote of 88 to 10. The measure now goes to the Senate.

JAPAN BACKS UP THE CHINESE PROTEST.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

TOKIO, Feb. 14.—In connection with the Japanese approval, now confirmed, of China's action in supporting the attitude of the United States toward Germany on the submarine question, it is further stated that Japan has promised China all possible support, including maintenance of order in China, where German influence is considerable.

China's protest to Germany, says the Japan Times, may be taken as a prelude to China's eventual participation in the war on the side of the Entente. Japan's special rights and interests in the Far East, adds the newspaper, have been affirmed by the Entente.

ARMY OFFICER AGAIN SUES FOR DIVORCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Capt. Frederick W. Benteen, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army, filed suit for divorce today against Mrs. Marie Casanova Benteen, a beautiful Cuban woman, whom he married seventeen years ago at Castilia, Cuba. Cruelty is the ground on which the decree is sought, and Capt. Benteen's complaint contains a list of cruelty charges covering twenty typewritten pages.

Benteen is in the Letterman Hospital at the Presidio, where, according to his complaint, he was forced to go because of a breakdown due to his wife's conduct. Mrs. Benteen also is at the Presidio, but occupies separate quarters of her own. The couple have not lived together since last July. Their three children, all girls, the oldest 13 years of age, are at a convent in Menlo Park. Capt. Benteen asks that the court make such disposition of the children as it sees fit after hearing the evidence in the case.

The complaint charges that Mrs. Benteen is of extremely jealous disposition and has an ungovernable temper, and on "occasions too numerous to specifically recite," has shamed and humiliated her husband in the presence of brother officers and their wives.

This is the second time Capt. Benteen has filed suit for divorce against his wife. While stationed near St. Louis three years ago he sued, but when the case was called neither he nor his wife appeared and the court ordered the suit dismissed. Shortly afterward Capt. Benteen was transferred to the Presidio here, and a few months later Mrs. Benteen came here and a reconciliation followed.

San Diego.

CATCH SMUGGLER WITH DRAWNWORK.

CARRIED FINERY ACROSS LINE NEAR TIA JUANA.

Mexican on His Way to Make a Big Roll Encounters Uncle Sam's Customs Officers and as a Result He is Now in Jail—Missing Children are Found.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—Adolph Nieto, a Mexican, was arrested today just as he was about to board a train for the north with over $800 worth of rare Mexican drawnwork on him. Nieto was going to take the needlework to Los Angeles to be sold there when he was captured by Deputy Customs Collector W. B. Evans. The goods had been smuggled over the international boundary near Tia Juana.

Evans had just returned to his station on the outskirts of National City, after placing Nieto in the County Jail, when he picked up H. Fernandez, a Mexican opium smuggler, a part of whose gang was arrested yesterday. Fernandez had five tael tins of opium dangling inside the legs of his trousers and was leaping along the road in an odd fashion, owing to this impediment, when taken by Evans.

MISSING CHILDREN FOUND.

That the two little children of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson, alleged abducted in Boston last week, are now in San Diego, was admitted this morning by Attorney J. K. Stickney, who represented Dr. Wilson in the sensational divorce trial of the couple several months ago. The two children, Julia, aged 6, and William, aged 4, were first awarded to the mother, but later the decree was changed and the tots given into custody of the father. By that time, however, both mother and children had disappeared and their whereabouts was apparently a mystery until Mrs. Wilson appealed to the Boston police, asserting that the children had been seized by two men and carried away. Attorney Stickney returned to San Diego last night after an absence of two weeks and stated that he had been on a trip to Chicago.

"The two children are now with their father here," said Stickney. "They were not kidnaped, for the court had given them into the custody of their father and he had a right to take them wherever he found them."

Both at the home and office of Dr. Wilson it was stated that he was not in and all knowledge of the children was denied.

Speedy.

DIVORCEE IS WED.

Actress Gets Decree and Within Few Hours is Again Married—Second Mate is Crane Wilbur, Member of the Local Moving Picture Colony.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RENO, Feb. 14.—Fourteen days after filing suit in the District Court at Carson City, Mrs. Florence Williams, a moving picture actress of Los Angeles, was today granted a divorce from Harry C. Williams. A few hours later she wedded Crane Wilbur, a moving picture actor of Los Angeles. The marriage ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace in the office of the attorney representing Mrs. Williams in the divorce suit. Immediately following the wedding the couple left for Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wilbur is known in the film world as Florence Dunbar. Mr. Wilbur formerly resided in New York, but recently has made his home in Los Angeles. He is a member of the Sierra Madre Club and is leading man in "The Perils of Pauline." Mr. Williams is an automobile dealer of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wilbur secured her divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty. She alleged there were violent quarrels and that she suffered physical abuse at the hands of her husband. Many acts of cruelty were recited. She also charged Mr. Williams with unfaithfulness. He did not contest the suit, and it is understood nothing of a financial character was involved in the legal action for separation.

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THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Frigid Weather Still Clings to Minnesota and Michigan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The frigid weather which gripped the Middle West for ten days still clings to Michigan and Minnesota. Escanaba, Mich., reported 6 below zero last night, although the temperature rose some today. Alpena and Sault Ste. Marie, in the same State, also had below-zero temperature. In Chicago the minimum was 17 above, with a maximum of 32 above. The snowstorm that was forecasted last night failed to materialize, although Michigan, Wisconsin and Northern Indiana reported a heavy fall.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Boise, Idaho	40	22
Bonita, Cal.	..	44
Boston, Mass.	32	18
Buffalo, N. Y.	20	14
Calgary, Alberta, Can.	48	30
Chicago, Ill.	32	18
Corona, Cal.	..	39
Denver, Colo.	32	24
Des Moines, Iowa	44	18
Dodge City, Kan.	32	24
Duluth, Minn.	20	*2
Durango, Colo.	38	22
Escondido, Cal.	..	38
Eureka, Cal.	50	42
Flagstaff, Ariz.	36	10
Fresno, Cal.	60	42
Galveston, Tex.	68	56
Havre, Mont.	38	20
Helena, Mont.	..	28
Huron, S. D.	34	14
Jacksonville, Fla.	70	38
Kamloops, B. C.	30	20
Kansas City, Mo.	38	22
Knoxville, Tenn.	48	36
Los Angeles, Cal.	61	47
Memphis, Tenn.	46	42
Modena, Utah	34	22
Montreal, Quebec, Can.	14	*2
Moorhead, Minn.	30	4
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	30
Needles, Cal.	66	46
New Orleans, La.	74	54
New York, N. Y.	36	18
North Head, Wash.	42	38
North Platte, Neb.	46	14
Omaha, Neb.	44	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	38
Phoenix, Ariz.	64	44
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36	24
Pomona, Cal.	..	40
Portland, Or.	46	40
Rapid City, S. D.	42	20
Red Bluff, Cal.	72	50
Redlands, Cal.	..	39
Reno, Nev.	50	24
Riverside, Cal.	..	42
Roseburg, Or.	50	38
Roswell, N. M.	42	32
St. Louis, Mo.	40	24
St. Paul, Minn.	20	6
Sacramento, Cal.	72	46
Salt Lake City, Utah	32	24
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	48
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	35
San Diego, Cal.	58	52
San Fernando, Cal.	..	30
San Francisco, Cal.	68	44
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	60	40
Seattle, Wash.	42	38
Sheridan, Wyo.	36	18
Spokane, Wash.	38	32
Swift Current, Sask.	26	14
Tampa, Fla.	74	58
Tonopah, Nev.	38	20
Tucson, Ariz.	..	30
Tustin, Cal.	..	38
Washington, D. C.	48	24
Williston, N. D.	24	16
Winnemucca, Nev.	42	20
Winnipeg, Man.	24	6
Yuma, Ariz.	70	46

*Below zero.

Valedictory.

WORK OF HOOVER LAUDED BY CECIL.

BELGIAN RELIEF MONUMENT TO AMERICAN ENTERPRISE.

Minister of Blockade Expresses Great Appreciation of Task of Organizers in Feeding Conquered Population for Two Years and in Overcoming Difficulties.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—On the occasion of the withdrawal of Americans of the Commission for Relief in Belgium and Northern France, Lord Robert Cecil, who in his capacity as Minister of Blockade has been brought into intimate contact with Belgian relief operations, declared in a statement to the Associated Press today that Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the commission, and his colleagues would leave behind them in Europe a reputation which the United States could count on as a national possession in future years.

"The withdrawal of the Americans from participation in the work of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, and Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador here, and Brand Whitlock, American Minister to Belgium, as patrons of the commission will be very sincerely regretted by the Entente allied governments," said Lord Robert. "The commission still goes on in the hands of its other neutral members, but you know how the organization of the relief commission, both here and at Rotterdam and in Belgium and Northern France, was created by, and in practice depended upon, Mr. Hoover and his American colleagues, who for more than two years have sacrificed every personal interest to this great humanitarian enterprise.

ALWAYS ON THE JOB.

"It is they who have dealt daily, hourly, with the Foreign Office here, with the German authorities in Brussels and with the German headquarters in Northern France. They have been constant intermediaries in a series of most arduous international negotiations, and it is they who have built up the elaborate system of guarantees which made the continuance of the work possible for twenty-eight months and which stands today as a bulwark between the Belgian people and the invaders.

"Now I am not going to pay any tribute to their business organization or their efficiency, as wonderful as these things have been. The mere fact that for twenty-eight months they have kept alive 10,000,000 people without a serious hitch in the machinery of purchase, transport and distribution shows what their organization has been. But this any observer can judge as well as I.

THE FIRST PROPOSAL.

"What I do want to say is this: When the first proposals were made in October, 1914, for the importation of foodstuffs into Belgium after the fall of Antwerp those proposals were directly counter to the very ordinary dictates of military prudence. The natural feeling of the people here was, and long continued to be, that the Germans were in complete control of Belgium and how could a dozen or two neutrals safeguard the supplies imported. It was only with great anxieties and misgivings that we consented to allow the importations and I sometimes doubt whether the proposal ever would have been made or our consent given if we had known how long the work would have to last or the extent to which it would grow.

"Yet, in spite of this, the work has gone on uninterruptedly for twenty-eight months and has grown from small beginnings into an undertaking which may literally be called gigantic. Now, the only thing which has made this possible has been the absolute confidence which Mr. Hoover and his colleagues inspired in the allied governments.

POSITION DIFFICULT.

"They have been in a most difficult position and they have borne the heaviest responsibilities that could possibly fall to the lot of neutrals, but there has been absolute frankness in their discussions, and their energy in carrying out their undertaking led us to rely absolutely upon their word and upon their ability.

"How high a tribute this was no one can perhaps understand who has not had actual experience of war conditions. But the American people may be confident that these American citizens leave behind them in Europe a reputation which, if I may say so, America may count on as a national possession in future years.

"I do not speak of the financial help which the American people have given for relief, because this is a sort of farewell speech, and I am sure that, while we must say farewell to the American directors in this work, we need not do so to the American interest in the work. On the contrary, I am sure the American people will take pride in competing with the allied nations in giving financial support to the great enterprise with which the name of America must forever remain associated."

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What's Up?

PAPER MEN MEET TRADE COMMISSION.

MANUFACTURERS GO TO CAPITAL UNANNOUNCED.

Strong Indications Seen that Subjects at Conference Bear Close Relationship to Activities of Federal Grand Jury in New York Inquiry.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—News-print paper manufacturers came here unannounced today to confer with the Federal Trade Commission concerning the government investigation of their industry. Their conferences will continue tomorrow.

Neither the manufacturers nor officials would hint today at what is under discussion, but there was a strong indication that the subjects considered bear close relation to the activities of a Federal grand jury in New York, which has been asked by the Department of Justice to bring indictments against the manufacturers, charging violation of anti-trust laws. All evidence gathered by the Trade Commission that would indicate trade restraint has been turned over to the Justice Department.

The Trade Commission in its investigation of the news-print situation has directed its efforts largely toward bringing manufacturers and newspaper publishers together in an arrangement that would give all publishers enough paper at prices less prohibitive than now obtained. Any agreement so worked out would have to be of an unofficial character, as the Trade Commission has no price-fixing powers.

Francis J. Heney is directing that part of the Trade Commission's investigation that has to do with allegations of violation of the laws. His work will be continued, it has been announced, after the commission makes a preliminary report to Congress, probably the last of this week.

Long Beach.

WIRE TELEGRAM TO SENATOR PHELAN.

SHIPBUILDING COMPANY ANALYZES SITUATION.

Points Out that Unions are Demanding so Much of Pacific Coast Builders that it is Impossible to Meet Eastern Competition.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 14.—The California Shipbuilding Company today sent the following long telegram to Senator Phelan regarding the present naval bill which is pending before Congress:

"We understand the naval bill before the Senate committee provides eighteen submarines of 800 tons each at $1,300,000 each, which ought to be increased to at least $1,400,000 each, plus say 2 per cent. extra for each month delivery less than thirty, if it is desired to construct any on the Pacific, because Pacific construction of all classes of vessels costs from 6 to 10 per cent. more than Atlantic on account of higher costs of labor, materials and freight, which alone exceeds Atlantic by $15 per ton on steel.

"If smaller submarines are also authorized there must be plus differential appropriated specifically of at least 6 per cent., otherwise it is an economic impossibility to build by a Pacific private shipyard.

"We are building five coast defense submarines, but recently rejected an award of three more because of economic imprudence to attempt to meet views of union under appropriations available.

"Our shipyard has been picketed since May by strikers who want union recognition and more money, which is an economic impossibility under appropriations made by Congress.

"It would be injustice to commandeer our shipyard if we reject awards under appropriations proposed and we believe it fair to ask proper consideration of the economic situation incident to which we understand bill carries an extra navy yards appropriation of $12,000,000 which can be used indirectly to drive private shipyards out of government business unless they meet the uneconomic demands of the union, which claims in writing to dominate Congress, departments, and an ability to divert work to navy yards unless we meet impossible demands.

"If submarine base is to be established at San Pedro it seems of strategic importance to have a submarine building specialty shipyard like ours near. Kindley refer this to the committee and Senators and try to do the needful and keep the Pacific Coast States a part of the Union through adequate appropriations for its defense, especially by submarines."

Checked.

"LEAK" INQUIRY STRIKES NEW SNAG.

DEALINGS THROUGH "DUMMIES" CANNOT BE TRACED.

Brokers Deny Having Handled Orders for Officials—Committee Decides to Close Public Hearings and Work Hereafter Through Subcommittees.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—After an executive session tonight of the Congressional committee investigating the "leak" on President Wilson's peace note to the belligerent powers, it was announced that the committee expects to close its public hearings tomorrow. Further work to be done by a subcommittee, it was stated, will consist of the examination of brokers' statements of business done for customers during the period under investigation.

This decision by the committee created surprise, as it had been expected public hearings would be continued here all week. In case anything is discovered by the subcommittee to warrant reopening of the public hearings, that will be done, it was stated, for the committee. It is not expected, however, that further public hearings will be necessary.

There is no way to learn the names of officials who may have dealt in the stock market under other persons' names unless the "dummies" themselves come forward and give the information, the committee was told at its hearing today. The main purpose of the inquiry here, the committee has announced, was to get at officials if there are any who have been profiting by advance information as to impending acts of the government.

Broker after broker was put on the stand today and asked whether there were any persons in official life at Washington among their customers and each one said there was none. Late in the session Representative Philip P. Campbell asked L. V. Sterling of Logan & Bryan whether the lists of customers would reveal speculating officials.

"You might have the name of every customer of every broker in the United States and not discover such officials if they were dealing through a third party whose name alone appears as the customer," Mr. Sterling said.

"Is there any way of finding out if any officials are dealing?" asked Mr. Campbell.

"No way that I know of unless such customers whose names do appear and who may be trading for an unknown party come forward and divulge his name," Mr. Sterling said.

DENIES TUMULTY TIP.

The name of Joseph P. Tumulty, President Wilson's Secretary, was again brought into the inquiry when James B. Regan, hotel proprietor here, was asked the direct question whether during a visit of Mr. Tumulty here, December 17 and 18, he gave Mr. Regan any hint as to the prospective peace note.

"Positively not. I wish he had," replied Mr. Regan, who added that he had no discussion with Mr. Tumulty regarding affairs at Washington. Mr. Regan denied the rumor that he himself sold short heavily in United States Steel during the "leak" period.

WITNESSES MISSING.

Efforts of the committee to sift to the bottom the manner in which E. F. Hutton & Co., brokers, got their forecast of the President's note were baffled through the absence of Mr. Hutton and H. J. Barrett, members of the firm. George A. Ellis, another member, said they were in the South. He testified that he was unable to find the telegrams sent from P. A. Connolly & Co., the firm's Washington correspondents, on which the Hutton forecast was based.

It was pointed out by Sherman L. Whipple, counsel for the committee, that the testimony of Mr. Hutton and Mr. Connolly as to that telegram was at variance and that the "conclusion was irresistible that Mr. Hutton knew that Mr. Connolly was making a misstatement."

The motion was made by a member of the committee that Mr. Hutton and Mr. Barrett be compelled to appear before it, but after executive consideration of this proposal Mr. Whipple announced such a step would not be taken. He added that Mr. Hutton and Mr. Barrett were the only persons who could straighten out the matter, and that the responsibility rested with them as to whether their house could afford to leave the subject as it is.

Unless they appeared, he said, the committee was free to make what deductions it could from all the circumstances and so report to Congress. Mr. Ellis said he would attempt to get in touch with his associates.

NAME COMMISSARY FOR ALIMENTATION.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Sayville.)—The Prussian Cabinet has resolved to appoint a special commissary for alimentation during the period of the war, says the Overseas News Agency. This commissary will have the rank of a minister and will work in close co-operation with the German war alimentation office.

MAY OFFER PRIZES TO SINK SUBMARINES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The German submarine campaign has so far been ineffective, according to Marcel Hutin, editor of the Echo de Paris. As proof, M. Hutin says that on Monday 112 French or neutral ships entered French ports.

A prize of 500,000 francs for the crew of any French, allied or neutral vessel which succeeds in destroying an attacking submarine is provided for in a resolution introduced in the Chamber of Deputies today by Andre Lefevre.

AMERICAN'S WOUNDS ARE FOUND SLIGHT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 14.—James Weygard is the only one of the three Americans in the crew of the British steamship Saxonian, sunk by a German submarine, who was wounded. Weygard's wounds, caused by a shell splinter, are slight.

London newspapers reported this morning that another American besides Weygard was wounded.

Classified Real Estate

advertisements in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturday.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope

Pedagogy.

PUPILS ABSORB WISDOM BY TON

Text-books Sent Out in January Number 127,590.

All Subjects Go to All Classes of Students.

High Cost of Paper Delays New Eighth Reader.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14. — Free text-books to the total number of 127,590 were distributed to public school pupils in all portions of the State during January, according to figures given out today by William W. Dyas, book-keeper in office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction Edward Hyatt, who is in charge of the text-book shipments. This was the largest shipment of books to be made in any one month since January, 1914, when 129,000 text-books were distributed. The texts distributed this year included all subjects and went to pupils of all grades, states Dyas.

Because of the high cost of paper and increased cost of other materials, the State Board of Education has decided to forego its plan for the publication of an eighth grade reader at this time. The board feels that by indefinitely delaying the publication of the new book, they can save thousands of dollars. At the present time there is no eighth grade reader in the California public schools. As there never has been one, the decision not to print the book at this time will not work any hardship on the students. The new fourth-grade reader is expected to be ready by July 1.

FORESEES "DRY" NATION.

Hobson Tells Illinois Legislature Referendum is Right of People.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 14.—Richmond P. Hobson, former Congressman, in an address before the House of the Illinois Legislature in behalf of a prohibition bill today, declared it was "inevitable that America should become dry or decay."

"There are two States, however, that we already have discounted," he added. "They are New York and Pennsylvania. They will not vote dry. But that does not mean that we will not be successful."

Mr. Hobson declared that whether or not the members of the House believed in the bill, it was not within their rights to deny the people of Illinois a referendum on the measure.

SWISS REPRESENT AUSTRIA IN FRANCE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—By orders of the Washington government, the American Embassy here has made all arrangements to transfer the handling of Austro-Hungarian affairs in France to the Swiss Legation. Ambassador Sharp made inquiries at the Foreign Office, and was told that such a move was acceptable to the French authorities. Preparations have been made at the Embassy to effect the transfer within two hours after notice is received.

POLITICIANS INDICTED.

Hundred and Sixty Leaders of Indiana Cities Included.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 14.—Five indictments naming approximately 160 political leaders and supporters in four cities in Indiana, were returned here today by the Federal grand jury, which has been investigating alleged election frauds in the State since November 18. Federal Judge A. B. Anderson did not discharge the grand jury after its report.

The names of those indicted will not be made public until after the arrests are made.

It is understood that two of the indictments are against residents of Evansville, one against Republicans and one against Democrats. One of the indictments is said to name Republicans at Gary and another is directed against residents of Frankfort. The fifth indictment, it is understood, is against Indianapolis politicians.

WASHINGTON PASSES "BONE DRY" BILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Feb. 14.—The "bone dry" bill prohibiting the importation or sale of alcoholic liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal or mechanical purposes, which recently passed the House, passed the Senate today and now goes to the Governor for his signature. Only three votes were cast against the measure in the Senate. If the referendum is not invoked against the enactment, it will go into effect June 10.

SOUTH DAKOTA DRY BILL PASSES HOUSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PIERRE (S. D.) Feb. 14.—A "bone dry" prohibition bill was passed by the South Dakota House late today by a vote of 88 to 10. The measure now goes to the Senate.

JAPAN BACKS UP THE CHINESE PROTEST.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

TOKIO, Feb. 14.—In connection with the Japanese approval, now confirmed, of China's action in supporting the attitude of the United States toward Germany on the submarine question, it is further stated that Japan has promised China all possible support, including maintenance of order in China, where German influence is considerable.

China's protest to Germany, says the Japan Times, may be taken as a prelude to China's eventual participation in the war on the side of the Entente. Japan's special rights and interests in the Far East, adds the newspaper, have been affirmed by the Entente.

ARMY OFFICER AGAIN SUES FOR DIVORCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Capt. Frederick W. Benteen, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army, filed suit for divorce today against Mrs. Marie Casanova Benteen, a beautiful Cuban woman, whom he married seventeen years ago at Castilia, Cuba. Cruelty is the ground on which the decree is sought, and Capt. Benteen's complaint contains a list of cruelty charges covering twenty typewritten pages.

Benteen is in the Letterman Hospital at the Presidio, where, according to his complaint, he was forced to go because of a breakdown due to his wife's conduct. Mrs. Benteen also is at the Presidio, but occupies separate quarters of her own. The couple have not lived together since last July. Their three children, all girls, the oldest 13 years of age, are at a convent in Menlo Park. Capt. Benteen asks that the court make such disposition of the children as it sees fit after hearing the evidence in the case.

The complaint charges that Mrs. Benteen is of extremely jealous disposition and has an ungovernable temper, and on "occasions too numerous to specifically recite," has shamed and humiliated her husband in the presence of brother officers and their wives.

This is the second time Capt. Benteen has filed suit for divorce against his wife. While stationed near St. Louis three years ago he sued, but when the case was called neither he nor his wife appeared and the court ordered the suit dismissed. Shortly afterward Capt. Benteen was transferred to the Presidio here, and a few months later Mrs. Benteen came here and a reconciliation followed.

San Diego.

CATCH SMUGGLER WITH DRAWNWORK.

CARRIED FINERY ACROSS LINE NEAR TIA JUANA.

Mexican on His Way to Make a Big Roll Encounters Uncle Sam's Customs Officers and as a Result He is Now in Jail—Missing Children are Found.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—Adolph Nieto, a Mexican, was arrested today just as he was about to board a train for the north with over $500 worth of rare Mexican drawnwork on him. Nieto was going to take the needlework to Los Angeles to be sold there when he was captured by Deputy Customs Collector W. B. Evans. The goods had been smuggled over the international boundary near Tia Juana.

Evans had just returned to his station on the outskirts of National City, after placing Nieto in the County Jail, when he picked up H. Fernandez, a Mexican opium smuggler, a part of whose gang was arrested yesterday. Fernandez had five tael tins of opium dangling inside the legs of his trousers and was leaping along the road in an odd fashion, owing to this impediment, when taken by Evans.

MISSING CHILDREN FOUND.

That the two little children of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson, alleged abducted in Boston last week, are now in San Diego, was admitted this morning by Attorney J. K. Stickney, who represented Dr. Wilson in the sensational divorce trial of the couple several months ago. The two children, Julia, aged 6, and William, aged 4, were first awarded to the mother, but later the decree was changed and the tots given into custody of the father. By that time, however, both mother and children had disappeared and their whereabouts was apparently a mystery until Mrs. Wilson appealed to the Boston police, asserting that the children had been seized by two men and carried away. Attorney Stickney returned to San Diego last night after an absence of two weeks and stated that he had been on a trip to Chicago.

"The two children are now with their father here," said Stickney. "They were not kidnaped, for the court had given them into the custody of their father and he had a right to take them wherever he found them."

Both at the home and office of Dr. Wilson it was stated that he was not in and all knowledge of the children was denied.

Speedy.

DIVORCEE IS WED.

Actress Gets Decree and Within Few Hours is Again Married—Second Mate is Crane Wilbur, Member of the Local Moving Picture Colony.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RENO, Feb. 14.—Fourteen days after filing suit in the District Court at Carson City, Mrs. Florence Williams, a moving picture actress of Los Angeles, was today granted a divorce from Harry C. Williams. A few hours later she wedded Crane Wilbur, a moving picture actor of Los Angeles. The marriage ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace in the office of the attorney representing Mrs. Williams in the divorce suit. Immediately following the wedding the couple left for Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wilbur is known in the film world as Florence Dunbar. Mr. Wilbur formerly resided in New York, but recently has made his home in Los Angeles. He is a member of the Sierra Madre Club and is leading man in "The Perils of Pauline." Mr. Williams is an automobile dealer of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wilbur secured her divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty. She alleged there were violent quarrels and that she suffered physical abuse at the hands of her husband. Many acts of cruelty were recited. She also charged Mr. Williams with unfaithfulness. He did not contest the suit, and it is understood nothing of a financial character was involved in the legal action for separation.

President Wilson's Inauguration at Washington, D. C., is an event of world interest. THE WASHINGTON, D. C.-SUNSET ROUTE, California to Washington, D. C., in four nights in through sleeping cars, via El Paso, New Orleans, Montgomery and Atlanta. Route of the "Sunset Limited," "New Orleans and New York Limited." Stop-overs permitted. T. F. Fitzgerald, Agent, 600 South Spring street. Broadway 2901 and F5821.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. ... Blockaded by cordons of police ... segregated district of San Fr... Barbary Coast had the ... of a deserted village ... ing eviction of hundreds of ... inmates of alleged disorderly ... by the police today. ... women were affected.

Details of police, ... Chief of Police D. A. White ... down on the district ... 1 o'clock. The women ... they had one hour to ... get out." In less than ... time the narrow streets ... were filled with girls ... carrying suit cases and ... fects. No attempt was made ... police to arrest any of the ...

Today's action, ordered by ... Atty. Charles M. Fickert ... climax of San Francisco's ... crusade and was ... than two weeks ago after ... ditions had been exposed by ... Paul Smith, who charged ... en solicited in the ... his church.

Headquarters for relief ... women were established ... and club federation leaders ... segregated district. ... were made for assistance.

CORPORATIONS ... TO RECOVER ...

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. ... Treasurer Friend W. ... was notified today that ... brought in San Francisco ... foreign and California ... operating in this State ... fund of corporation ... amounting to $86,... by the State. The suit ... in the name of Bertram ... and alleges that the State ... Equalization erred in ... upon the amounts ... should be taxed. Among ... tiffs are some of the ... corporations in the State ... individual refunds asked ... $18,558, down to a ... dollars.

Miller & Lux, Inc., ... separate suit for a refund ... to $10,626, according ... who says the Supreme Court ... ously has upheld the ... State to tax corporations ... manner objected to in ... filed.

I.W.W.'S AT "WORK."

Laborers of a Los Angeles ... Strike in Arizona.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. ... mixture of half a dozen ... tators from California ... enough today to ... nearly 600 laborers ... Chandler, ...

Labor.

[R]IGHT TO WORK IS INALIENABLE.

...ee Speech is Upheld by a Judge in Toledo.

...terference with Employees is Called Illegal.

...ion of Nurses is Started in a State Hospital.

MUTT & JEFF—The Old Gink May be a Bum Hearer but He's a Good Listener. By BUD FISHER.

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American four-masted sailing vessel Lyman M. Law in flames latitude north 38 deg., 32 min.; longitude east Greenwich 7 deg., 58 min. No trace of crew."

The second message dated Cagliari, February 13, said:

"Four-masted American sailing vessel Lyman M. Law, owned by Maritime Transportation Company of New York, 1300 tons, at 9 o'clock, 12th, set fire by bomb, seventy minutes west-southwest of Cape Spartivento by Austrian submarine without flag. The Law was from Stockton, Me., to Palermo, with cargo of lumber. The crew of ten saved in two boatloads. Length of submarine was forty meters. It was painted ash color, with black deck and was armed with 7.5 rifle. One periscope on stern turret. Crew all American except two English."

The message from the British Consul at Cagliari said:

"Capt. McDonough and nine men crew of American schooner Lyman M. Law, New York, reported destroyed by submarine yesterday morning, have landed here."

BRAZIL'S PROTEST HANDED TO VIENNA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The Brazilian Charge d'Affaires at Vienna has handed to Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs, the note from the Brazilian government protesting against the submarine blockade, says a Reuter dispatch from Vienna by way of Amsterdam.

The note is similar to that handed to the German Foreign Office and says that Brazil cannot recognize the blockade as effective, because there is no means of making it so and abandonment of all limitations with respect to the treatment of neutral ships puts it in conflict with the rules governing such military operations and makes it illegal and irregular.

TURKS ON TIGRIS REPULSE BRITISH.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via Tuckerton.)—An official report for February 13 from Constantinople headquarters says:

"In the vicinity of Felahie there was artillery and infantry firing. South of the Tigris, the enemy on February 12 advanced against our wings, but was repulsed. On the afternoon of the 12th two hostile battalions after artillery preparation attacked our left wing and were likewise repulsed.

"On the Dardanelles front Lieut. Meincke attacked three hostile machines and shot down one, the occupants of which, two British officers, were taken prisoners. A machine gun and bombs were captured."

GERARD TO RETURN ON SPANISH LINER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERNE, Feb. 13 (via Paris, Feb. 14, 4:35 p.m.)—Although the rush of Americans to the legation here to have their passports vised for France abated only a little today, the center of activity shifted to the French Embassy, to which the Americans are obliged to go to have their passports put in order to go to Spain.

Former Ambassador Gerard announced that he probably would not depart until Wednesday evening. He now plans to sail February 27 on the Spanish steamship Infanta Isabel, going to Spain by way of Paris.

Mr. Gerard will be accompanied by the Berlin force, with the exception of Hugh R. Wilson, second secretary, who stays here; Alexander C. Kirk, second secretary, who goes to The Hague; Lithgow Osborne and Robert M. Scotten, third secretaries, who go to London.

W. C. Dreher and family, Laura Wight of Oklahoma; Louis Hoffman, Lawrence, Kan.; E. Joseph, Spencer Kennard, Jr., and James Gustav White, San Francisco; Arthur L. Siebens, Marx Halton, Iowa, are also included in the party.

AZUL SURVIVORS ARE COMING ASHORE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Thirty-eight survivors of the British steamer Azul and the sailing vessel Eudora, which were sunk by a submarine, are coming ashore.

The name of the place where the seamen are landing evidently has been deleted from the above dispatch by the censor in London. The Azul, a steamer of 3074 tons, was reported, February 12 by Lloyd's as probably sunk. Twelve survivors from the vessel had been rescued, the dispatch said. The steamer was last reported as having sailed from Buenos Aires, January 1.

There are two sailing vessels named Eudora—a four-masted British schooner of 1992 tons, and a three-masted Norwegian schooner of 345 tons. The British Eudora was last reported in Buenos Aires.

Telephone "Want Ads."

for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

Kaiser in Interview.

(Continued from First Page.)

Kaiser asks, 'that it is the Entente which protects the murderers of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand? How short is the world's memory. As today I saw Baron Bumerskirch, the court marshal of my departed friend, for the first time since those spring days in Konopischt, the recollection came over me again so strongly—over our enemies, from the very beginning, lies the shadow of this crime. On our side is right and morality—and to help these to triumph, must every shining weapon be welcome to us.'"

THANKS THE POET.

After thanking the poet Mueller for his war drama, the Kaiser remarked that he regarded the pleasure derived from art as his one recreation from the hundred thousand matters of state and cares for his nation which fill him now.

The Kaiser added that he had inherited his understanding for the stage from his mother. He said that every century has it own silhouette, and that it is the duty of the theater to revive this silhouette as a picture of its whole kultur. Then the Kaiser expressed the hope that the poet would in his future works continue to draw on Germany's past, which he characterized as a rich unworked gold mine.

He then told how, from his earliest youth, a few figures had followed him, such as Theodoric, King of the Visigoths; then the Romish German Kaiser Frederick II, but above all, the Emperor Charles V. The Kaiser told Mueller he should some time think of Charles V and Luther together, saying "Who knows, if Charles and Luther had come together, where the German nation would be today?"

GERMANS DISCUSSING WAR LOAN INTEREST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 11:05 p.m.—The German government is now discussing with the Bundesrath new direct and indirect taxes to raise £50,000,000 interest on the last war loan, according to Berlin newspapers quoted in a Hague dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

It is probable, add the papers, that the new taxes will apply to coal-mine exploitation and railway traffic, with an increased tax on war profits.

SUSTAINS SENTENCE ON AUTO MERCHANT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Sentence of five years in San Quentin prison, imposed upon Antone Fodera, an automobile dealer here, for running away from two victims of his automobile last October, was sustained by the District Court of Appeal today.

Fodera struck and killed Hector Zepata and injured Joseph Ottens, two Santa Clara University students riding a motorcycle on the State highway near Mayfield, October 31, 1916.

Fund Report.

FOR GERMANIC WIDOWS.

Committee in Charge of California's Thanksgiving Offering Shows that Every Dollar Contributed Goes Directly to Aid of War Sufferers.

The report of the committee in charge of the California Thanksgiving offering for Germanic widows and orphans, issued yesterday, shows that the total amount secured from subscribers and box collections to date is $28,178.15. The amount transmitted to Ambassador Gerard was $28,000, leaving a balance of $178.15 on hand.

An audit of the accounts of the committee has been made by the Mushet Audit Company, and in its report it says that while there have been expenditures of several hundred dollars in making the collections and forwarding the money, these expenses have not been taken from the contributions, but were met by the members of the committee and a few persons on the outside. Every dollar contributed went into the fund for the Germanic widows and orphans.

In a letter received by the committee from Ambassador Gerard, he says that articles regarding the contributions from California were published in every paper in Germany, and that this should have a good effect on the relations generally between the two countries. He also gives details as to the methods by which the money will be distributed.

The committee desires to thank all subscribers for their liberal contributions, and to assure them that the funds will be most carefully distributed. A list of the names of all the contribuutors, with the amounts contributed, has been forwarded to the proper persons in Germany.

DESERTER TO SAN QUENTIN.

Pleads Guilty to Store Robbery, Gets Twenty Years.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 14.—William G. Douglass, deserter from the U.S.S. Milwaukee, who felled Charles Eisner, second-hand dealer, with an iron bolt and robbed the store, pleaded guilty today and was sentenced to twenty years in San Quentin. Douglass was arrested after serving sentence at Pittsburgh, Cal., for vagrancy.

"Twenty years, that's life," he said, when sentenced by Judge Young.

SPAIN ACTS IN BELGIUM.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The Spanish Minister at Brussels has taken over the American interests in Belgium, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

SIXTY BILLIONS WAR COST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Germany's war costs to date have reached the total of 60,000,000,000 marks, says a telegram from Berlin forwarded by the correspondent at Amsterdam of Reuter's Telegram Company.

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Actress Tells Secret

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Mr. P. L. Saulter, 935 East 12th St., Oakland, Calif., writes: "For about twelve years my system had been run-down and worn out, though I had been using numerous remedies suggested by my friends, and some of my own selection which I thought would cure me, but they all were of no avail. One day while I was walking along I accidentally picked up a pamphlet. A friend and I read it carefully and I decided to write for one of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Advisers. I found therein the name Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. My friend advised me to try it and I am glad I did. Before I had used one bottle I noticed my flesh looking fresher and getting softer and gradually coming to its natural color. I continued to use the medicine until I had taken twelve bottles.

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WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Mrs. R. C. Shipman has resigned as a candidate for president of Los Angeles district, California Federation of Women's Clubs, having issued a letter yesterday to that effect.

To those who advocated placing Mrs. Shipman's name on the nominating blanks in lieu of Mrs. L. B. Hogue who, for personal reasons, found it necessary to decline the honor, the withdrawal of Mrs. Shipman will come as a blow, though she states that she breaks no pledges or promises by so doing, as she has not at any time, to any person, said that she would accept the nomination.

One paragraph of her letter foreshadows that a dark horse may be put in the field, though already Mrs. Mattison B. Jones of Glendale has received sufficient indorsements to allow her name placed on the ticket and has sent in her acceptance. Supporters of the latter stated two days ago that they were confident of her victory.

Reciprocity Dates.

Mrs. Harriet S. Wright of Sierra Madre, club chairman of reciprocity for the Los Angeles district, has announced the following dates for publication: February 23, the Civic Outlook Club of Redondo Beach; February 27, Sierra Madre Club and Averill Study Club; March 17, Montebello; March 24, Tuesday Afternoon Club of Glendale.

A Contest.

Mrs. A. S. Lobingier, who last year ran against Mrs. Edward Rankin Brainerd for the office of first vice-president of the Friday Morning Club and was defeated, has, it is rumored, consented to head an opposing ticket now being made up by her friends. That she would decline to take such a step was denied until yesterday, when Mrs. Lobingier refused to either confirm or deny that supporters were becoming active in her campaign.

It is known positively, however, that several prominent clubwomen have been "approached" in the interests of Mrs. Lobingier.

Mrs. Brainerd has been vice-president for two years.

South Side Ebell.

Patriotic in nature, the meeting of the South Side Ebell Club last Thursday was interesting. It opened with the singing of America and a salute to the flag. George W. Prince, ex-Congressman of Illinois, who has spent twenty-one years in service at Washington, D. C., gave a talk on loyalty to the nation's leaders and lawmakers. Miss M. R. Tyler, one of the assistants at the Vernon-avenue library, who has devoted much study to the methods of children's improvement and pleasures, gave a fairy story, "The Water Nixie." At the conclusion of the programme the domestic science and drama sections served a luncheon demonstrating the food values of certain vegetables.

Prepare for Ball.

Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer, former State Regent and now State chairman of patriotic education, spoke on that subject before the last meeting of Eschscholtzia Chapter, D.A.R. Mrs. Dwight Satterlee's new club song (she is one of the members) was sung by Mrs. Adele Stookey Jones of the chapter, followed by a paper on "The First White Man to Cross the Sierras," by Mrs. Nathan, and a piano solo by Miss McGregor.

Preparations for the annual colonial ball at the Alexandria, the evening of the 20th inst., are about completed.

To Discuss Amalgamation.

The merging of the College Woman's Club, the Association of Collegiate Alumnae and the Federation of College Clubs into one club, to be known as the Women's University Club, will be discussed at a joint committee meeting next Friday afternoon at the College Woman's Club rooms in the Brack Shops. All clubs belonging to the federation will be represented.

The College Woman's Club, with a membership of 400, and the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, with 100 members, are doing practically the same work, and there is a great deal of duplication of membership. The A.C.A. is a national organization, while the College Woman's is local.

The federation is a federation of all the college clubs and sororities in the city, and includes the Vassar, Smith, Wellesley and Stanford clubs and others. The total membership is about 1000.

Protest Against War.

A spirited meeting of the United Sisterhood of Peace was held Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Auditorium Hotel, presided over by Mrs. Ella H. Durley. The prospective war with Germany was discussed from every side and with much gravity. Those who took part in the discussion, which was pronouncedly in favor of the settlement of international disputes by arbitration were Mrs. Bina Wyman, Miss Faith Chevaillier, Mrs. Maria Weed, Mrs. Fargo, Mrs. Baylor Keenan, Mrs. M. E. Jenkins and Mrs. Mary Sells Green.

A committee was appointed at the close of the discussion to draft a communication which was wired to President Wilson, embodying the sentiments of the society.

A Chance to Help.

To meet the calls for clothing among the needy children of the public schools, an all-day sewing circle will be held by the emergency department of the Los Angeles Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations Wednesday, February 21, at 10 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the emergency bungalow, Normal Hill Center. Those in charge are desirous of having all local associations represented by their emergency committee and as many others as possible.

In addition to making up new materials, garments will be repaired or made over if brought.

Stoves, bedding and mattresses are in demand and gifts of such articles will be appreciated.

The women in charge at the bungalow will furnish coffee at noon to those who care to bring sandwiches and a cup and spoon.

WANT WASTE PAPER.

Donations will Aid Support of Children's Home.

A special bulletin to householders of Los Angeles, asking that they hurry with their contributions of waste papers to al dthe homeless childrens' fund of the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West, was issued to H. C. Litchtenberger, general committee chairman, yesterday.

"Paper Day" is to be celebrated on the 22nd inst., but the committee does not want all donations to pile in at the last moment. The headquarters at No. 227 West Second street are receiving loads of old papers for resale daily and the committee asks that the general public call A2732 and Broadway 2952 when ready for delivery car to call.

OHIO WOMEN MAY VOTE ON PRESIDENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14.—The Ohio State Senate today passed a bill giving women the privilege of voting for President. The bill already has passed the House and Gov. Cox has intimated he will sign it.

LARGER BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

Management of Museum, Park and Art Galleries is Discussed.

The management of the County Museum at Exposition Park, of the Bivouac Art Galleries, donated to the county by Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, and of Hancock Park, was discussed at a conference of the Board of Governors and the Board of Supervisors yesterday. The conference practically decided to place the management of these three institutions in charge of the Board of Governors in an advisory capacity and their control in the hands of the Board of Supervisors. It was also proposed to increase the membership of the Board of Governors from nine to twelve.

In view of the magnitude of the institutions, the conference deemed it essential to plan for the future. The increased membership was thought advisable in order to better handle the work connected with them. The Board of Supervisors also suggested a change in the representation of the various societies to enable the board to appoint a majority of them.

Picturesque.

BRILLIANT GARBS MARK CARNIVAL.

GREAT SUCCESS IS SCORED BY YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

Beautiful and Colorful Picture is Presented by Fete of Nations and Enjoyable Features Constitute an Attraction Which is Expected to Draw Crowds.

Garbed in picturesque costumes of every country in the universe, those taking part in the opening event of the carnival of nations, given by the Los Angeles council of the Young Men's Institute last night at No. 941 South Broadway, presented a beautiful and colorful picture.

The carnival, which began auspiciously, will continue throughout the week, including Saturday night. The proceeds are to be used for the outfitting of the new clubrooms for the Y.M.I.

Besides the various booths to attract attention, there will be dancing each evening to the snappiest music that the snappiest band can play. Each day at noon luncheon will be served.

Besides the 200 persons taking part, at least 300 guests were present last night, and during the rest of the week larger crowds are expected. One of the features most enjoyed last night, and which will continue to be an attraction, was the free concert given by the Y.M.I. band under the direction of Capt. John T. Neelon.

The upper floor of the building was reserved for the dancing and a merry throng in dazzling costumes tripped all the new steps to the music played by Harry Rose and by the Y.M.I. orchestra. Harry Clune was in charge of the dancing.

The United States booth depicted the military and civil life of the country and was in charge of Maj. Hugh O'Brien. The French booth was in charge of "President" H. Francis Le Melle and "King" John J. Bessolo reigned over Spain. The ruler of Holland was Harold Greenbaum, I. Ed Regan as Mikado, and Mathhew P. Kressich as Prime Minister and ex-officio chief lord of the sea, ruled over Japan, while as Khedive, James D. Burke presided over the Egyptian booth. William Quinn had charge of the Emerald Isle.

FLETCHER TALKS TO FUNSTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Feb. 14.—Henry P. Fletcher, American Ambassador to Mexico, on his way to Mexico City, spent today here in conference with Gen. Funston, and will leave tonight for Laredo.

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News from South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County Items

Pasadena.

CHARITY BACKS WIFE'S CLAIM.

[illegible] City Contractor Called to Account.

Charged with Neglecting to Provide for Wife.

[illegible] Receive News of Mass Meeting.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 15.—Charity [illegible] of the city have been [illegible] over the case of Mrs. Edna [illegible] and her two young children who are said to be in dire [illegible] of both food and clothing. [illegible] upon the suggestion of her [illegible] Mrs. Gilbert swore to a complaint yesterday afternoon before Judge Robert McDonald charging her husband, A. L. Gilbert, a [illegible] contractor, with failure to [illegible].

The case was so urgent that Judge [illegible] immediately sent a constable to bring Gilbert into court. [illegible] pleaded not guilty and his preliminary trial was set for this morning. The Gilberts live at No. 547 [illegible] court.

[illegible] say that pride [illegible] Mrs. Gilbert to suffer some [illegible] in silence. Her neighbors [illegible] her case to the attention [illegible] charity organization. After an [illegible] there was quick action [illegible] of Mrs. Gilbert. The husband [illegible] Judge McDonald that he [illegible] in court today the peculiar situation in his larder.

[illegible] MAYOR DENOUNCED.

[illegible] residents of Minneapolis who are wintering in Pasadena [illegible] telegrams from home [illegible] of a monster mass meeting [illegible] to protest against the action of Mayor Van Lear, a Socialist, and his followers, in calling a [illegible] to protest against the action [illegible] Wilson in severing diplomatic relations with Germany. H. [illegible], a banker, who is a guest [illegible] del Arroyo, and S. W. [illegible], a guest at the Huntington, [illegible] those who have been [illegible] of the patriotic action [illegible] Minneapolis to offset the [illegible] the Socialists.

"[illegible] people are patriotic [illegible] their desire to back up the [illegible] in the present crisis," Mr. [illegible] declared. "The action of [illegible], who is a rank Socialist, [illegible] followers, has placed Minneapolis in a bad light all over the [illegible]. I was delighted to hear the [illegible] second meeting, which [illegible] to our American principles."

[illegible] COLLEGE REUNION.

[illegible] Bissill, president, and [illegible], secretary of the Smith [illegible] of Southern California, [illegible] notices inviting all [illegible] and teachers of [illegible] to attend the annual [illegible] of the club at noon on the [illegible] at the home of Mrs. David [illegible], No. 4 Westmoreland [illegible] who expect to attend [illegible] asked to notify Mrs. [illegible] Bennett, No. 646 St. John [illegible] not later than the 22nd inst.

[illegible] and white Navajo rugs cheap [illegible] Nicholson's shop, No. 46 [illegible] Los Robles.—[Advertisement.

[illegible] Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.

Santa Ana.

[illegible] FOR IDEALS.

[illegible] Pupils of the Feminine [illegible] Organize to Promote Simplicity in Dress as Well as Other Features.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 14.—Seeking [illegible] the impression that some [illegible] have that high school girls [illegible] of frivolities and care for [illegible] except nice dresses and good [illegible] has been organized at [illegible] Ana High School a real [illegible].

[illegible] purpose, as stated in the constitution, is to "stand for the ideals [illegible] womanhood, courtesy of [illegible] and manner, simplicity, loyalty, honor, as well as to develop among the girls such activities [illegible] promote the good name of [illegible] Ana High School and further the spirit of good fellowship [illegible]."

[illegible] the purposes of the league [illegible] for simplicity in dress. [illegible] are: President, Miss [illegible]; vice-president, Miss [illegible]; secretary, Miss Wil[illegible]; treasurer, Miss [illegible]; reporter, Miss Be[illegible]; parliamentarian, Miss [illegible].

[illegible] LARGE LION IN TRAP.

[illegible] Seven Feet Ten [illegible] Inches and Put up Stiff Fight.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

[illegible]MONT, Feb. 14.—A [illegible] mountain lion, a species [illegible] almost extinct in Riv[illegible] county, has been trapped [illegible] Baker near Hog [illegible] south of here, in the [illegible] Mountains. Baker [illegible] accompanied by James [illegible] when he went [illegible] his traps. The [illegible] discovered in a trap [illegible] head of Baptiste Can[illegible].

[illegible] dogs attacked the [illegible] and it broke the an[illegible] the trap and at[illegible] to escape. Being un[illegible] free itself from the [illegible] lion backed against [illegible] and fought the dogs [illegible] until Baker shot [illegible].

[illegible] measures seven feet [illegible] inches from tip to tip. [illegible] claim the bounty [illegible] the hide to an [illegible]. He hopes to [illegible] mate.

George W. Houk,
The Buffalo millionaire who gave the Escondido Chamber of Commerce a check for $1600 to help it along in its work of boosting that part of San Diego county.

Escondido.

HOUK DAY.

Celebration in Honor of Receiving Check for $1600 from Buffalo Millionaire to Aid in Boosting that Part of San Diego County.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ESCONDIDO, Feb. 13.—Escondido was in its "best bib and tucker" for the celebration of "Houk Day" today, in honor of G. W. Houk, wire-wheel magnate of Buffalo, who has recently bought the large Red Mountain ranch at Fallbrook, thirty miles distant, and is preparing to live there permanently.

Two or three weeks ago Houk, while a guest of the Escondido Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting and banquet, made the proposition that he would equal any amount of money the chamber might have to its credit February 1. The result of the active membership campaign netted $1600.45.

The check of Mr. Houk for this amount was presented at a mass meeting of citizens in the Roberts Auditorium this evening.

During the day Mr. Houk was entertained with automobile rides, receptions, inspections of industries, etc.

Huntington Park.

FAKE ADVERTISING.

Merchants, Through Chamber of Commerce, Adopt Resolutions for Patronizing Only Such Schemes as Meet the Approval of Committee Appointed to Act.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Feb. 14.—Fake advertising received its initial blow here when the Chamber of Commerce adopted resolutions asking merchants to stand unitedly on all advertising proposals and appointed an advertising committee whose duty it shall be to pass upon all publicity propositions referred to them.

Merchants are asked to patronize only such propositions as receive the written indorsement of this committee.

The action was initiated by H. G. Candee, president of the Bank of Huntington Park, who stated that several business men had entered into a certain advertising scheme on the promoters' claim that the bank had indorsed it, whereas the bank had emphatically rejected the proposition.

EVERETT CASE WILL NOT BE TRIED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 14.—The unraveling of the legal tangle occasioned by the discovery that Francis J. Everett of Redlands and James F. Cowie, one time attorney of Fergus Falls, Minn., were one and the same man was to have been started in the Superior Court today, but has again been postponed indefinitely. The court announced that it could not attend to the case at this time.

Mrs. Everett is suing the Standard Accident Insurance Company to get $7500 for an accident policy which Everett, who was killed in an automobile accident, held. The company in refusing to pay it says that when Cowie left the East he left a wife and children behind him. Mrs. Everett says that she married him in good faith and that he was her husband for more than twenty years and that she is entitled to the insurance.

It is not known when the case will come up for trial now.

BIG NET INCOME FROM ORANGE GROVE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 14.—A. F. Estabrook of San Francisco claims Central California record for net price for oranges for the season of 1916-17. According to figures compiled from his books, his fourteen-acre property on Sunnyside, just north of the city limits, yielded 3700 packed boxes of fruit, for which he averaged $2.18¾. His expense according to careful accounting, was $2100 for the year, leaving a net income from the property of $400 per acre.

Mr. Estabrook is now engaged in putting out fourteen acres of additional adjoining land to early navels.

OFFICIAL EXPERIENCES PTOMAINE POISON.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 14.—Max K. Barretto, Commissioner of Finance for Santa Monica, was stricken today by what is believed to be ptomaine poisoning.

Mr. Barretto was sitting at his desk in the City Hall, when he suddenly fell in a faint. Dr. J. A. Balsley was called, and it was some time before the patient regained consciousness. He was removed in an ambulance to his home at No. 1407 Fourth street.

Riverside.

CEMENT DUST MAKES POTASH.

Riverside Chemists Evolve New Process.

Dust Which Fell upon Orange Groves Valuable.

Product Shipped East to the Munitions Factories.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 14.—A potash factory is a new by-product industry growing out of the necessity of installing cement dust treaters at the plant of the Riverside Portland Cement Company. Potash to the value of $1000 per day will be turned out with the opening of the factory on March 1.

The new industry, whose raw product comes from the accumulation of the dust arising from the operation of the cement plant and which is retained by the treaters, together with some big cement contracts recently secured, will result in increasing the working force to 600 the first of next month. This means that the pay roll will be swelled to $30,000 per month. One of these contracts amounts to 80,000 barrels, which will be required by the Pacific Light and Power Corporation.

The dust treaters were installed following the filing of suits by citrus fruit growers for damages caused to their groves by the settling of the tons of dust which would accumulate from the operation of the plant within a year's time. The company's chemists immediately set about to discover if the dust contained any ingredient of value, and, as a result of their experiments, a process was evolved for refining the potash, patents covering it having been obtained by the company.

The product will be shipped to munitions factories in the East to be used in the manufacture of high explosives.

San Francisco.

THEY'LL BE THERE.

San Francisco Chamber of Commerce and California Development Board to Conduct Joint Excursion to National Orange Show.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 16.—The Chamber of Commerce and the California Development Board will hold a joint excursion to the National Orange Show, which is to be held in San Bernardino February 20 to 28. The excursion will leave here February 23 over the Santa Fe. A special rate has been secured from the railroad company for the trip, and it is expected that a large number of local business men will go.

Saturday, February 24, has been set aside by the Orange Show officials as a special day for the delegation from San Francisco.

GOING EAST WITH THE "BOOK OF JOB."

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Feb. 14.—Dramatization of the Book of Job by Prof. W. H. Head of this city and its production by students of the Alhambra High School on several occasions has attracted sufficient attention in the East to induce Prof. Head to contract with the Independent Chautauqua Association to go on the road with the play, which he will do as soon as school closes.

He will first go to Chicago, taking with him as members of the cast Kenneth Wright, Martin Wesseler, Arthur Rosenberg and Orrin Riddell.

The territory to be covered on the Chautauqua circuit will include the States of Illinois, Indiana and part of Ohio.

The pageant will be billed under the title of the Alhambra Players.

FINDS COYOTE IN BACK YARD.

Pomona Man Discovers Desert Animal Playing Havoc with His Chickens.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 14.—When Frank Clary of No. 725 North Garey avenue got up this morning and looked out of the window he thought that the community had gone back to the primitive. In his back yard, near the chicken house, was a full-grown coyote.

Last Saturday night something created a commotion in Mr. Clary's chicken yard and next morning he found the feathers of one of his Rhode Island Red hens scattered around the yard. He thought that a dog had raided the poultry yard, so he set a big trap there for two nights, and this morning he was gratified at seeing a coyote with both its hind feet in the trap.

The coyote was so hostile that nobody could get near it for a while, and Mr. Clary had no gun with which to shoot it, so he called in a young man who was on his way to High School, and the young man despatched the coyote with a fence post which he pulled up from the parkway in front of the house.

The trapping of coyotes inside the city limits is unusual, of course, and all the more so because Mr. Clary lives adjoining the Ebell Club House, on one of the main streets of the city, where there is a double-track trolley line.

UNCLE SAM TO WATCH ORANGES.

Test Shipment of Three Freight Trainloads of Citrus Fruit.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN DIMAS, Feb. 14.—Oranges from this place, Covina and Pomona are being used by Uncle Sam in making a shipping test for his market department.

A string of cars loaded with oranges from the three districts left Pomona last night by freight, accompanied by two government men, who will take observations at points all along the line to Minneapolis, which is the destination of the fruit.

The inspectors will take notice of the refrigeration, ventilation, transportation, insulation and manner of loading. Each car is equipped with a self-registering thermometer.

When the test is complete the data will be compiled and forwarded to the Department of Agriculture at Washington, from which place it will be communicated to the growers of the fruit. The test is being made for the sake of determining the best methods of shipping citrus fruits under refrigeration.

Silver Lining.

GIRL LOST, FINE SAVED.

Elopment Frustrated When Ardent Young Lochinvar is Arrested by Speed Officers, so the Judge Lets Young Man Off with Warning.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—Claiming that an elopement was frustrated and that he lost a bride by the activity of the speed cops in arresting him while he and his bride-to-be were racing in an auto to the County Courthouse in San Diego to secure a license to wed, R. L. Jacks of Los Angeles was absolved from a fine in Justice J. Edward Keating's court today.

Jacks admitted that he was exceeding the limit with his intended bride but her relatives were on their trail and they were overtaken and the girl taken from him when he was compelled to slacken his speed on the orders of the arresting officers, Deputy Sheriffs Holmes and Landis.

"If through this deal you lost your partner for life I will not impose the additional punishment of a fine," said Justice Keating. "The case against you is dismissed, Mr. Jacks, but be careful, young man, not to engage in any more speedy elopements or you may not be dealt with so leniently next time."

HOMESTEADERS SUE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 14.—Alleging that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company has conspired with unknown parties for the purpose of deceiving the Secretary of the Interior into cancelling homestead rights on lands owned by the plaintiffs, Buell V. Stevens, Mary V. Beggs and Frank W. Stevens, filed suit today against the railroad company.

The property involved comprises several sections of the mission lands near Indio, from which they were ousted, it is alleged, when the company realized the value of the land and persuaded the department to cancel the deeds secured by the plaintiffs.

PLEADS GUILTY TO VIOLIN THEFT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 14.—Don Pasquale, a musician charged with the theft of a violin alleged to have great value belonging to A. Kretschmann of this city, entered a plea of guilty in the Superior Court today and asked for parole. Judge Craig referred the prisoner to the probation officer for his recommendations, which will be reported on Saturday.

After his departure from the city Pasquale wrote love missives to Kretschmann's daughter and confided to her his whereabouts. As a result the officers found it easy to apprehend the lovesick musician in San Jose.

CRACKS SKULL BY RUNNING INTO TREE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDORA, Feb. 14.—After lying unconscious all night, Ross Clements, aged 16, was found this morning by Mack Johnson on Minnesota boulevard, with a fractured skull and severe face lacerations. He had run into an oak tree during the night with his motorcycle. He was rushed to the County Hospital, where it is thought that he will recover.

The lad lives with his widowed mother and was returning home on a new cycle which he had just bought.

PLAYS BEACH CAFES, AND LANDS IN JAIL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 14.—Good intentions failed to settle the obligations of Robert Garrick, civil engineer for issuing fictitious checks, according to the police and Judge King. Garrick had intended to make good the checks on Monday but how could he, he explained to the court, "when he was in jail." He was bound over to the Superior Court in the sum of $1000.

Lewis M. Osterweis, 20, heir to fortune—in Connecticut—was to have had a trial for complicity in the same case but the court concluded to hear from his guardian in the Nutmeg State. He will talk it over with the police judge on Friday.

South Pasadena.

SEEK REMOVAL OF SANATORIUM

Exclusive Residential District up in Arms.

Claim Made that it is Private Insane Asylum.

City Attorney Instructed to Investigate.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Feb. 14.—A petition has been filed with the City Council by residents of the very exclusive Oneonta Park district, requesting the abatement of the Pasadena Sanatorium, conducted by Dr. T. W. Bishop in the southwest part of the city, on the ground that it is a public nuisance. Prominent on the list of signers is the name of Mrs. A. C. Billicke, widow of A. C. Billicke, Los Angeles hotel owner who went down with the Titanic.

That the place is nothing more or less than a private insane asylum; that its location in a thickly-settled residence district is a positive menace and a source of continual fear to timid people who dread possible visits of escaping lunatics, and that the demented patients have at times conducted themselves publicly in an indecent and revolting manner are among the complaints made against the establishment in the petition.

City Attorney Hazlett has been instructed to take the affair up with the District Attorney, who will be asked to handle the case in the event of the sanatorium being legally termed a "nuisance."

If the asylum cannot be abated under existing laws, it is said that the petitioners will request the South Pasadena City Council to pass an ordinance forbidding the presence within the municipal limits of institutions for demented persons.

Dr. Bishop, when asked regarding the petition, declared he intended to ignore it entirely and that he would not enter into a discussion of the matter in any way whatsoever. He would not state his course of action in case the petitioning complainants carried the matter into court.

Not in a Hurry.

ANNEXATION TALK IN SOUTH PASADENA.

CITY COUNCIL CONCLUDES TO WAIT FOR PETITION.

Request of Citizens of Pasadena to Hold a Conference upon the Subject Referred to the Taxpayers Before Any Step is Taken. May Come up Later.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Feb. 14.—The City Council of South Pasadena last night declared its intention not to take any official action tending toward the annexation of South Pasadena to any other city until petitioned to do so by the residents.

This declaration followed the reading of a communication from the City Commissioners of Pasadena requesting the South Pasadena Trustees to appoint a committee of citizens to represent this city in the deliberations of a board of freeholders soon to be chosen to prepare a new charter. The Pasadena communication expressed the belief that a scheme might be agreed upon for a future consolidation of the two cities.

Trustee Crippen, in moving the filing of the commissioners' letter, said: "It ill becomes the governing body of South Pasadena to take up a matter of this kind. This Council should not take action for annexation to Pasadena, Los Angeles or any other city until asked to do so by a petition of citizens."

The matter of annexation with Pasadena is now squarely up to the citizens of South Pasadena. It is for them to make the next move.

This evening the Chamber of Commerce will discuss the question and it is believed that the Chamber will accept the invitation turned down by the City Council and in response to the Crown City request, appoint three South Pasadenans to act with the proposed new Pasadena Freeholders' Board.

PENCIL PEDDLER GETS NINETY DAYS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Feb. 14.—Dave Patten, the pencil peddler, who insulted women at the Shorb Depot, Sunday evening, and who resisted arrest by kicking Chief Parker in the stomach and who later smashed up the interior of the jail with a piece of scaffolding the workmen had left while repairing the interior in his effort to escape, was brought to Alhambra from the County Hospital yesterday afternoon and given a trial before Judge Farrell, who sentenced him to serve ninety days in jail.

When his term is out he will again be arrested for resisting an officer.

Caught.

NOT FAST ENOUGH.

Barney Oldfield in Auto Burns Up the Miles but Deputy Sheriff on Motorcycle Covers the Ground Quicker—Speed King Pays Fine.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—Barney Oldfield holds the auto record between Los Angeles and San Diego—something near three hours—but Art Holmes, deputy Sheriff, holds the motorcycle record for the distance—just over two hours.

And Art pinched Barney for speeding over the route.

Oldfield, traveling south near Del Mar at a forty-five-mile clip, went through the county speed trap—and Holmes had the ride of his life before he made the arrest.

Oldfield deposited $25 bail, declaring his intention of forfeiting it and asked that the matter be considered closed, including keeping it from the newspapers.

NEW BOAT LANDING NEARLY COMPLETED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 14.—The new boat landing on the south side of the $125,000 municipal pier will be completed by the middle of next week, according to the foreman of the construction gang. Four wooden piles have been driven to secure the boats from being dashed against the concrete piling of the pier, and a steel stairway installed.

The boat landing is built near the submarine canyon on the south side, and the landing is twenty-two feet deep at low tide, providing ample depth for pleasure launches.

CLOTHIER BANKRUPT.

W. Hunter, doing business as W. Hunter Company, dealer in gents' furnishing goods, etc., at No. 540 South Spring street, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, yesterday. The debts of the concern are given as $11,906.22, all unsecured, and the assets as $11,030.96, the principal items of which are the stock on hand, alleged to be worth $7000 and $2065 claimed to be due on open book accounts.

EDISON $150

The New Edison

Diamond-Disc Phongraph

—No needles to change;

—re-created music through a real diamond;

—indestructible records.

Edison Diamond-Disc Phonographs from $100 to $250

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Hear Them NOW at Barker Bros.

Most Convenient Terms!

Barker Bros

Largest Southwestern Phonograph and Record Dealers

Sole Agents for Henry F. Miller, Vose, Bradbury, Behning, Brambach Baby Grand, Webster and Laffargue Pianos.

724-738 S. Broadway

Intervenor.

SICKNESS HALTS "HEALER'S" TRIAL.

AUGUST SCHRADER AGAIN HAS STOMACH ATTACK.

Testimony on Incorporation of Various Churches by Defendants to Government Action is Heard During Brief Court Session—Inspector Testifies.

Due to the complete collapse of August Schrader, alleged "divine healer," the hearing of the case of the government against Schrader and his partner, Francis Schlatter, came to an untimely end yesterday before United States District Judge Trippet. Schrader had been ill at the stomach throughout the trial, but managed to remain in the courtroom by being allowed to lie prone on a bed in view of the judge and jury. It is planned to resume the hearing at 10 o'clock this morning.

Anita M. Clements, Deputy County Clerk of Alameda county, testified at the morning session to the filing in that office of the articles of incorporation of the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist, Free Baptist, Primitive Baptist, Seventh Day Adventist and Evangelical Association churches, all located in Oakland. Edwin W. Woodward and J. T. Massingill, notaries, identified the signatures of August Schrader and Francis Schlatter to the articles of incorporation.

Harry J. Leland, Clerk of Los Angeles county, testified to the incorporation of the Divine Congregational Church by Schrader and Schlatter in the records of his office, and Edwin F. Cord of Santa Fe, N. M., testified as to the filing of the incorporation papers of the Divine Catholic Church in the office of the County Clerk.

Postoffice Inspector Cookson, who has worked up the evidence of the government in the case, brought into court the box of seals and rubber stamps found at No. 1430 North Myra avenue, where the defendants conducted what was known as the Primitive Baptist Church, and published the Ram's Horn, which was advertised to be conducted as Christ would manage a paper if He were on earth.

These seals are alleged to have served for the Congregational Methodist Church, incorporated at Oakland, April 22, 1913; Baptist Church, incorporated May 8, 1913, at Oakland; Seventh Day Adventists' Church, incorporated June 16, 1913, at Oakland, and the Free Baptist Church, incorporated May 8, 1913, at Oakland. A bunch of copies of the Ram's Horn were introduced. Inspectod Cookson stated that he had made an investigation of Schrader's and Schlatter's activities on account of the numerous complaints coming to the postal authorities in regard to the operations of the accused.

BOTH ARE VETERANS.

Father and Son, Each Having Seen Service, Visiting Here.

Father and son, veterans of wars separated by the score of many years, are now enjoying a vacation in Southern California. Col. W. Irwin, veteran of the Crimean campaigns under the flag of old England, is at the Angelus, accompanied by his son, W. E. C. Irwin, an eighteen months' veteran of the present great war, who returned home an invalid as the result of being wounded on the French frontier. The two ex-soldiers are registered from Ottawa, Can., and after some time here, will go to Coronado, and then to other points of interest in the State.

The Shrinking Value of Money

You have a limited amount of money. The value of that money, figured in the necessities of life, grows less and less. You find that it doesn't reach as you thought it would.

It is a serious matter. Now let me tell you how to turn this shrinkage into a profit. Land does not cost more than it did three years ago. It takes no more dollars to buy it. The products from that land bring a great deal more. Your dollar is big if you spend it for land. It is little if you stay in the city and spend it for the products of the land.

Get onto the land. Get your own living there and save that much. Then produce the things which other people are paying such high prices for. Van Nuys famous, modern, five-acre, self-sustaining homes is the haven for you. Steer your bark in there and cast all your worries and fears of the future overboard.

It is about the safest and sanest course you could pursue. At the same time it is an ideal life. You have all the comforts and conveniences of a 1917 city home and all the advantages of the country—an independent life in beautiful and inspiring surroundings.

If you haven't been to Van Nuys and taken a trip of inspection with one of our guides, you have something to learn. It is a happy community of success—a social and civic center for the splendid homes in the heart of this wonderful valley. Prosperity—safety—peace.

Call any day before 9 a.m. or before 1 p.m. and go on private trip of inspection.

W. P. Whitsett
Owner and Developer of Van Nuys Modern 5-Acre Self-Sustaining Homes.
621 Hollingsworth Bldg., Sixth and Hill, Los Angeles.
F2958—Bdwy. 2259.

I CURE
PILES
FISTULA
and all Rectal Diseases
WITHOUT AN OPERATION

For twenty-five years I have been curing diseases of the rectum and lower bowel. During that time my experience as hospital and railroad surgeon, as college lecturer and professor, has enabled me to develop a method that is superior to others. I cure without surgery and my patients are not confined in bed and seldom lose a moment's time from their business.

My method is not a "home cure" or a "correspondence treatment" but it is an application of skilled treatments administered under the most rigid antiseptic conditions in my office.

I solicit old, severe and obstinate cases of fistula, prolapsus, fissure and ulceration that have heretofore resisted all treatments employed. If you are a sufferer from rectal trouble I invite you to investigate my method thoroughly by talking or writing to any of my cured patients. If you will call at my office I will be pleased to give you the names and addresses of many well-known Los Angeles people I have cured, whom you may interview in regard to my treatment.

Read what a few well-known Southern California people have to say of my method. Many similar letters are on file in my office.

WELL KNOWN SPRING STREET PRINTER CURED
For five years I was practically incapacitated from attending to business by Protruding Hemorrhoids. Dr. White cured me without pain.
F. A. HARRINGTON, Printer, 138½ S. Spring Street, Los Angeles.

OLD RAILROAD MAN CURED
For more than ten years I suffered from chronic Diarrhoea and Ulceration. I was in a semi-invalid condition. Dr. White cured me.
D. R. THAYER, 412 S. Figueroa St., Los Angeles.

RIVERA RANCHER CURED
I suffered for fifteen years with painful, protruding, bleeding Hemorrhoids. Dr. C. H. White in a few painless treatments completely cured me of my distressing ailment. I do not let a chance pass of telling others of my wonderful cure, and it is a pleasure to know that each person whom I have advised to visit Dr. White was completely cured by him.
E. B. MILLER, Rancher, Orange Road, Rivera, Cal.

Send for my FREE booklet.

Dr. C. H. White Rectal Specialist 532-3-4 Wesley Roberts Bldg., (Old Citizens Natl. Bank Bldg.) 108 W. 3rd St., Los Angeles.

KIRK'S-ARMY-NAVY
135 SO. SPRING ST.
NOVELTIES AND GOODS TO PLEASE EVERYBODY
SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE

Know-doc Pore Treatment
MAGICAL
Clarifies and beautifies the skin and complexion when all else fails. A light application two or three times a week does the work.
Be sure and try it—it's wonderful. Three sizes, 35c, 50c, $1.00.

EAT
Christopher's
Quality Ice Cream

Sunkist
Oranges are uniformly good. They are carefully selected from California's finest groves—All good dealers sell Sunkist Oranges—Order today.

HEAT YOUR HOME 1c per hour
Furnace and installation complete $15
DIAMOND GAS FLOOR FURNACE
651 SO. HILL ST. Phone F6782.
Bet. 7th St. and L. A. Gas Co.

Everyone Needs a Tonic to Withstand the Rigors of Winter

A Few Bottles of S. S. S. Will Thoroughly Tone Up the Entire System.

Keeping well and in thorough physical trim is simply a matter of resisting disease to which the system is subject every day.

You can readily see, therefore, the importance of keeping the system in proper condition, strong and vigorous, and free from all manner of impurities.

Pure blood is the first essential to perfect health, for the blood is the source of all vitality. Keep your blood absolutely free from all impurities, and your health is assured.

The rigors of winter are unusually severe on the average system, and it is just now that assistance is needed. A few bottles of S. S. S. will do you a wonderful amount of good by thoroughly cleansing and purifying the blood and putting the entire system in tip-top condition. It will improve your appetite and by increasing your supply of rich, red blood throughout the circulation, new life and vigor will take the place of that weak and good for nothing feeling.

S. S. S. is sold by druggists everywhere, who will tell you that it has been on the market for more than 50 years and is thoroughly reliable. Valuable books and free medical advice can be had by writing to Swift Specific Co., 30 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Classified Liners.

AGATE TYPE ONLY.

Accepted subject to the following rates and rules:

Rates: The rate for inserting Want Ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday issue, 1½c per word each insertion; and to each non-consecutive insertion, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge, applicable to a single insertion, and to each non-consecutive insertion, 30c daily, 35c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices," "Miscellaneous," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan," "Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," "Detectives," "Sanitoriums," and "Baths and Massage."

An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White spaces and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads set solid are counted strictly by the word. For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to the first line, and eight (8) average words to each line following. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occuring in telephoned advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement entered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the sense or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment of "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or charge "till forbid" advertisements.

Telephone orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipts, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be rebated unless the "stop order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 100,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200; Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character—medical, whisky, turf, lottery, "get-rich-quick," etc.—and it uses every reasonable precaution to keep its advertising columns clean and wholesome. This is a guaranty of protection to its readers, as well as to its legitimate advertising patrons.

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements, printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper and have "liners" and other advertisements inserted, bronze letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLOCK, 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL, 424 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GRANT BLDG., 355 S. BROADWAY. (Front of elevator.)
HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 758 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. mail box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING & MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. mail box.)
O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH & BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 608-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

The locations of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

Main Office, First and Broadway.
Spring St. Branch, 619 S. Spring st.
Hill St. Branch, 723-725 S. Hill st.

TODAY'S Real "Snaps."
Numerous Chances of the Hour.

ACCOUNTANT Expert—Take full charge of books for firms not employing steady book-keeper. Books opened and closed, Audited, Systematized. Investigations, Financial Statements. Special arrangements for monthly supervision and periodical audits. G. Wilson Stoddard, telephone 21323, or address GF, box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

SCENARIOS WANTED—WRITERS, AMATEUR OR professional, having stories of merit which they wish to get before Motion Picture Producers, will find our facilities to their advantage. Full particulars on application. SUNSET SCENARIO SERVICE, 708 Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring st.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS—for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

NOTICE—WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR debts, contracted by my wife, Josephine Peabody, after this date. J. D. PEABODY, Glendale, California.

ORIENTAL BATH PARLORS, ELECTRIC CABinet sweats, vapor, Swedish massage. 22 ELM AVE. Long Beach, Cal. Sunset 990.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE—Telephone your Sundays ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—MALE NURSE AND WIFE WILL take two chronic patients in their comfortable home; best references. Address B, box 563, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PERSONAL—NOTICE! MRS. JESSIE M. MAPES, assistant pastor and message medium of the Progressive Spiritualist Church, is now at new address, 638 S. ALVARADO ST. 51764, Wilshire 2974.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLoger and palmist; 32 years in Los Angeles; largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—OUR LADY COLLECTORS ALWAYS collect. Phone collection department the M. E. FIRMAN DETECTIVES, 210 American Bank Bldg. Main 3152—A3465.

PERSONAL—WANTED INFORMATION CONCERNing whereabouts of Mrs. F. Merkin. Address B, box 559, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

PERSONAL — FEMALE DISEASES AND ALL troubles. 330 WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., 106 W. Third st.

PERSONAL—HELP US SERVE YOU by telephoning your Sundays ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

PERSONAL—GENTLEMAN GOING TO ST. LOUIS and Chicago and return will transact business for other parties; consideration, part transportation. 2828 W. 11TH ST. Wilshire 5110.

PERSONAL—WANTED, THE ADDRESS OF G. H. Snowden, formerly a realty operator in the Union Oil Bldg. Address G, box 300, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—EARLE GRAND SEANCE, TONIGHT, sealed questions on all affairs, answered. 917 S. HOPE. Tel. Broadway 7705.

PERSONAL — ELECTRO RHEUMATIC CABINET demonstrated at 511 E. SEVENTH ST. Mrs. Davies, demonstrator.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, readings 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL — WOMEN'S DISEASES, ALL TROUbles. Specialist. 313 W. THIRD, between Broadway and Hill, suite 208.

PERSONAL — MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. Best 50c reading in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—
PROF. MURDOCK,
The Master Mind of
PSYCHICS.

Prof. Murdock's advice is sought by bankers, brokers, business men and those seeking safe and sure investments. He has brought success and wealth to untold numbers. From every walk in life they come to consult this noted man, and all marvel and bear witness to his wonderful PSYCHIC POWER. His readings are only 50 cents and one dollar and he can be consulted daily at his residence, 8TH AVE. AND 54TH ST. Hours 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Take Grand avenue car marked Mesa Drive.
Telephone Home 79435; Vermont 792.

PERSONAL—PROF. P. H. KEAN,
PSYCHIC.
Ordained.
Offers his services to all those whose journey through life is a pathway of thorns. He gives facts and figures. Correct advice and information on all important affairs of life. Hours 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Take Grand ave. car to 24th st. Fee 50c. 2408 GRAND AVE. Fee 50c. South 4862. Home 25844.

PERSONAL—AMERICAN CITIZEN OF BRITISH birth tenders his services where common sense, discretion and fidelity are essential; am 40 years old and have had twenty years commercial experience; willing travel abroad, not afraid submarines; can furnish references as regards integrity, etc. Reasonable compensation. Address H, box 257, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichester pills, the Diamond brand, for 25 years known as the best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichester Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—PERSONAL—
MRS. MASSON,
the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.
HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—ANY ONE KNOWING THE ADDRESS of Geo. R. Edson, formerly in the real estate business on Hill street, communicate with us. Have important information for him. Address G, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—
PROF. HENLEY,
CALIFORNIA'S NOTED PSYCHIC.
READINGS DAILY. SEE HIM. DON'T DELAY.
317 W. Third st., bet. Bdwy. and Hill.

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, CIRCLE TONIGHT, 8 sharp, private readings, 10 till 3. 119½ S. SPRING ST., room 16.

UNDERTAKERS
And Funeral Directors.

PIERCE BROS. & CO., FUNERAL DIRECTORS. EXCLUSIVE AMBULANCE SERVICE. MAIN 4780. 810 S. FLOWER. 60496.

MONETA AVE. UNDERTAKING CO., UTTER & RUPPE, FUNERAL DIRECTORS, EMBALMERS. 29405. 4254 MONETA AVE. SOUTH 1012.

BRESEE BROS., UNDERTAKERS. 52967. 855 S. FIGUEROA. MAIN 9376.

CONNELL COMPANY, UNDERTAKERS, 1051 SOUTH GRAND AVE. F4455. MAIN 8455.

M'CORMACK & COLEMAN. Morticians. Ambulance service. South 378. 5800 S. CENTRAL AVE. 28170.

ARTHUR K. CREFE. Garv. 108. Ave. 59 and Pasadena ave. 39106.

GATES & CRANE, HOLLY. 244. 1724 HIGHLAND AVE. 57299.

BRAMBLE & MOSES—Main 388; F3828. Inquiries solicited.

REED BROTHERS COMPANY. A2110. 1143 S. FLOWER ST. Main 211.

W. A. BROWN, 23940. 1333 S. FLOWER. MAIN 2023.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

TEST OUR COURTESY AND SERVICE—

1000 business cards	$1.00
1000 bond letter heads	$3.00
1000 envelopes, 6¾	$3.50
500 bill heads	$1.75

We are experienced printers—not amateurs. Never too busy to talk business. Now in new location. REMS PRINTING CO., 227 Mercantile Place. A9855.

THIS MONTH ONLY, WILL CLEAN LADIES and gents suits guaranteed equal to new for 75c. No gasoline, new preparation, "The Name," just out, nothing like it. CHEMICAL MFG. CO., Florshim & Schooner, 312 W. 2nd st., near Broadway. Tel. A9496.

NOTICE—CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

DAYTON & LEE, THE UPSTAIRS JEWELERS and watchmakers. Specialists on R.R. watches, chime clocks and time recording clocks; satisfaction guaranteed. 514 TITLE GUARANTEE BLDG. 11768.

LAST—MINUTE SERVICE—is not always satisfactory. Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

ACME PLANING MILL CO. Will figure on all classes of WORK AND GIVE BEST RESULTS. A2927—For Information—Main 4950.

MOVING PICTURES MADE TO ORDER FOR ADVERTISING. COMMERCIAL AND OTHER PURPOSES. GORHAM STUDIOS, WILSHIRE 1802.

CALIFORNIA CESSPOOL CLEANING CO., 404 N. Commonwealth ave. 599107, Wilshire 1512. Also pump flooded basements.

FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS AND FLOWERS. Phone GEO. SCHORNICK, 131 S. Hicks. 41536. Boyle 1085.

WATCHES CLEANED, 50c. MAINSPRINGS, 50c. Guaranteed one year. UNIQUE JEWELRY SHOP, 331 W. Fifth st.

FIVE-PASSENGER HUPP, CAREFUL LADY DRIVer, $1.25 hour. Convalescents a specialty. Phone VERMONT 981.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, $1; FURNACE CLEANing, $1; repair furnaces, stoves. CAMPBELL, the furnace man. BROADWAY 4404.

BUSINESS LETTERS TYPEWRITTEN, 10 CENTS page, public stenographers. 705 FERGUSON BLDG., Third and Hill.

CIGARS—7—20—4, 10 CENTS, DEXTER, 5 cents. GILE, 500 S. Main. Lobby Kerckhoff Bldg.

25C — SUITS SPONGED AND PRESSED — 25C. Cleaned and pressed, 50c. You must bring 'em to 807 W. SEVENTH ST.

SCENARIOS DEVELOPED, MSS. PREPARED, marketed; short story and professional scenario writing taught. DALEY, 717 Majestic Theater.

BUSINESS MAIL ADDRESS, $1.00 PER MONTH. 705 FERGUSON BLDG., Third and Hill sts.

THE BEST HAND LAUNDRY BY PIECE OR dozen, or rough dry. 74860.

LOS ANGELES CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, DR. CALE, 931 S. Hill. Main 2542. A5605.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESMAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF DEPARTMENT. MUST BE RESOURCEFUL, HAVE EXECUTIVE ABILITY, AND HIS OWN AUTOMOBILE, FOR WHICH WE MAKE MONTHLY ALLOWANCE. DON'T ANSWER THIS UNLESS YOU ARE CAPABLE AND EXPECT TO BE PERMANENT. ROBERT MARSH & CO. ASK FOR MR. COOPER, 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.

WANTED—HAVE NEW COMBINATION INSURance and newspaper subscription proposition. Want a man capable of interesting all classes, who can set pace for soliciting corps. Accident insurance or well-recommended subscription man preferred. Excellent opportunity for moneymaker. R. S. PACKARD, third floor New Times Bldg., before 9:30 a.m. or after 4 p.m. daily.

WANTED—High-school boy to work after school hours and on Saturdays. Prefer boy that wishes to learn advertising. Chance to make good earnings while attending school. Apply MR. SAYLOR, second floor Times Building. Any evening after 4 p.m.

WANTED—CAPABLE EXPERIENCED ADVERTISing salesman, good proposition for those able to meet big advertisers. AMERICAN PUBLISHING CO., 306 Majestic Theater Bldg.

WANTED—AT ONCE, RELIABLE MAN WITH teams and tools to clear land, contract, by the acre. Don't apply unless you are equipped to do the work and mean business. Phone 77725. 1535 W. 35TH PLACE.

WANTED—GERMAN FOREIGN HAND, CLEAN, sober and willing, good teamster, steady job, for right man, married man preferred. Address particulars, wages expected. BAKERY, Baldwin Park, Cal.

WANTED — JUNIOR CLERK, 19 TO 22, FOR wholesale house, $40, good advancement; office boys, 15 to 17, for downtown office, wholesale and film company. F. S. Beavis, Agency for "EVERYTHING HUMAN FOR THE OFFICE," Investment Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMAN, EXPERIENCED IN DRY goods, furnishings, shoes and groceries; bring reference. Call at 253 S. LOS ANGELES ST., ask for Mr. Turner, or at store, 4001 Moneta ave., ask for Mr. Brunner.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING YOUNG MAN, 25-30, single, to handle sales and purchase ledgers of A-1 company, near Riverside. Prefer man familiar with cost systems. Salary $100 per month.
EDUCATIONAL EXPERT COMPANY (Agency,) 704-705 Haas Bldg.

WANTED — AT ONCE, DELIVERY BOY WITH wheel. Apply AMERICAN DRUG CO., 606 S. Main.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, STENOGRAPHER; PERmanent position with advancement for bright and energetic young man. Apply 1275 E. SIXTH ST.

WANTED — OPERATOR ON MEN'S PANTS; steady work. Call at once. 223 W. SECOND ST., room 240.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED STOCK IRONER, ON shirts. Apply EXCELSIOR LAUNDRY, 424 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BUSHELMAN ON HIGH grade men's tailoring. Apply POPKIN & NESTOR, 452 S. Spring.

WANTED—2 AUTOMOBILE MECHANICS. MUST be absolutely first-class. Apply corner 6TH AND SANTA FE AVE.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED TOOL and die maker. HOTPOINT ELECTRIC HEATING CO., Ontario, Cal.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO WORK IN drug store. Apply STERLING DRUG CO., corner 6th and Western.

WANTED—ALL AROUND MACHINIST, $4 PER day. 134 E. SECOND ST.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. APPLY MORRIS GOLDENSON, Florist, 229 W. 3rd.

WANTED—BOY TO WORK IN BINDERY. WESTERN LITHOGRAPH CO., 600 E. 2nd st.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS AUTO SUPPLY SALESman. Apply 1011 S. OLIVE ST.

WANTED — SALESMANSHIP CLASSES NOW forming at Y.M.C.A., Room 607. (Inst. Adv.)

WANTED—
Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—

3 machinists, erecting new mill	$4 day
Truck driver, city	$2 day to start
2 carpenters, heavy framing	$4.50 day
2 house carpenters, free fare to Arizona,	$3.50 day
Upholsterers, new work, city.	
Bridge carpenter, free fare	$3 day
Cooks, waiters, dishwashers, janitors, porters, housemen.	
Man and wife on ranch; wife to cook, $40 mo., fd.	
Ranch hands, teamsters, milker.	
4 wood choppers; see boss here	$4 per cord
3 Fresno teamsters, camp	$2.50 day
2 laborers, camp	$2.50 day
25 laborers for short jobs.	

We Lead—Others Follow.
MURRAY & READY,
110 E. Second st.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, LUMBER CONCERN; lumber experience necessary; coast town, north. Salary commensurate with services.
Salesman familiar lumber, sash and doors; coast town, north. Salary commensurate with services.
Time-keeper, road construction, north, $60 and board.
Young man, general clerical, about mine, inside and out; not difficult work, but must be steady and reliable. $90. North.
Machine bill clerk, 19-22, good personality, $60.
Stenographer, Mfg. Co., near city, $60, advancement.
Office and messenger boy, $25.
PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC., (Agency,) 418 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FAMILIAR CREDIT system, similar to Dunn's or Bradstreet's; start $65.
Two A1 book-keepers, salaries $75-$100.
A1 book-keeper, capable of holding executive position; prefer department store experience, $100.
A1 stenographer and dictaphone operator for large concern, good salary.
Stenographer, beginner or little experience, for wholesale house; start $12, advancement.
Young man, beginner, wholesale house, start $30.
Wholesale plumbing house wants man thoroughly experienced in buying, pricing and traffic; good salary.
Experienced foreman for optical concern, $100.
BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE, (Agency,) 928 Security Bldg.

WANTED—
REAL ESTATE SALESMAN FOR ONE OF THE BEST AND CHEAPEST CLOSE-IN QUARTER AND HALF ACRES TRACTS IN SOUTHWEST; THREE FREE EXCURSIONS WEEKLY. LIBERAL COMMISSION. YOU ARE DOING BUSINESS DIRECT WITH THE OWNERS.
SEE MR. COOPER, WITH
COOPER, CULLER & CO.,
421 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.,
NINTH AND SPRING STS.

WANTED—YOUNG, SETTLED MAN AT A COUNtry home; must be able and a willing and quick worker, able to do all kinds of house and garden work; willing to learn; one who is used to keeping rooms, windows clean and neat. Send address and name of former employer for whom you worked in same capacity. State age, nationality. (Men who are out and in need not apply.) A hustler finds a permanent place. Wages to start, $15 monthly. Address T., R. F. D. Route 1, BOX 218, San Diego, Cal.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN TO TAKE CHARGE of ranch, 60 acres; 25 acres in young fruit trees; want to put in alfalfa; sufficient water supply; beautiful valley; 3-room house; steady position for real sober, industrious farmer; $60 in summer and $50 in winter months, and house. State what you know about ranching; give references as to care of apple trees and pears; go into detail. No room for large family. Address F, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
IMMEDIATELY.
LOS ANGELES POSTOFFICE CLERKS AND LETTER CARRIERS. Several men under 45, to prepare for these positions. Salary starting $800, with regular promotion. Entrance examination APRIL 7. For successful coaching see at once, MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. Special evening hours 7:00 to 8:30. (See Inst. adv.)
IMMEDIATELY.

WANTED—SIX EXPERIENCED SHOE SALESMEN TO ASSIST SATURDAY AND MONDAY. APPLY AT ONCE, SUPERINTENDENT, THE BROADWAY DEPT. STORE.

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN TO DRIVE AND REpair automobiles; we give a complete course in driving, caring for engine, valve, timing, ignition, carburetor trouble, etc., for $5 and are assisting our students to good positions every day. Best and only school of its kind in city. Complete course $5; night classes every evening. CALIFORNIA AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL, 1145 S. Los Angeles st. (See Instruction Course adv.)

WANTED—
VOCATIONAL-EMPLOYMENT DEPT., Y. M. C. A.
You know how to do something but don't know how to get something to do. We can tell you how or send you to it. During the past seven years have aided in placing over 11,000 men and boys. This service a privilege of membership in Y.M.C.A. If you need employment, advice, friendship, see STANLEY BAKER, Secretary.

WANTED—MEN, WE TEACH YOU TO DRIVE automobiles and care for engines, complete course, including mechanical overhauling, ignition work, etc., only $10, or driving lessons, $5. We assist our students to positions. Night classes every evening. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL, 953 S. Main. (See Instruction ad.)

WANTED—FIRST CLASS MAN, 25 TO 40 YEARS old, unmarried, for second man on young citrus grove; must be a hustler and understand cultivation and irrigation thoroughly; good position, with chance for advancement to right party; must be non-drinker; $40 and room and board paid. HAGEMAN, 302 Central Bldg., Sixth and Main streets.

WANTED — ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN, high grade man with experience in snappy design on large work, particularly school construction; must be capable water color and pen and ink man; absolutely first class man required; no others need apply. Apply by letter only and state salary. POSTOFFICE BOX NO. 418, Monrovia, Cal.

WANTED — A GOOD STOCK SALESMAN, ONE who understands the business and has had a world of experience in stock selling; no other need apply. A fine opportunity for the right party. Every dollar of stock sold by this company will have good security back of it. We buy and sell good commercial paper, auto leases, etc. AUTO BROKERAGE CO., 701 W. Third st.

WANTED—STOCK BOY FOR COATS AND SUITS. MUST BE CLEAN AND NEAT APPEARING; NO OTHERS NEED APPLY. PERMANENT POSITION WITH GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR THE RIGHT BOY. MUST BE BETWEEN 12 AND 18 YEARS OF AGE. APPLY SUPERINTENDENT, THE UNIQUE, 725 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—LAUNDRY ENGINEER. MUST BE familiar with general repair work and of laundry machinery. Handling of boiler with Corliss engine and electric equipment. Salary $125. Apply with references to FRESNO STEAM LAUNDRY, Fresno, Cal. Stating age and where last employed.

WANTED—ORCHARD MAN, $35, ETC.; 8-MULE teamster, ranch, $36.50, etc.; man and wife, apartment-house, $60 and apt.; kitchen man, $25 and found.
TRIMBLE'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 138 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—AT ONCE, EXPERIENCED LUMBERMAN WITH SOME CLERICAL ABILITY. APPLY BY LETTER, STATING AGE, REFERENCES AND SALARY EXPECTED. CHARLES R. McCORMICK LUMBER CO., RIVERSIDE, CAL.

WANTED—OPERATOR FOR TELEPHONE EXchange, hours 6 p.m. to 6 a.m., excepting Sunday. There will be 6 hours additional; salary $55 per month. Address H, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MEN OR WOMEN OF INTEGRITY and ability to sell first mortgage notes of unitized mortgages in amounts of $500 or multiples can be sold in installments; good commission to right parties; references given and required. Call 809-14 HAAS BLDG., Seventh and Spring sts.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL SALESMAN who can trim windows and write cards, also furnishing goods and shoe salesman, for store in El Centro, handling dry goods, clothing, shoes, etc. Apply CARSON, PIRIE, SCOTT & CO., 605 Grayco Bldg., 9 a.m., Thursday.

WANTED—MAN TO DEMONSTRATE ABILITY by selling 24 small household specialties. Commission $8. Write giving phone number. Address B, box 451, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN FOR DAY OR EVENING courses in stenography, book-keeping, etc.; good positions certain for competent men. Y.M.C.A. SCHOOLS, 715 S. Hope st. Phone: Home 10822. Main 8380. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED — GOOD STOCK SALESMAN, SELL stock of moving picture corporation, a high-class proposition, no advances; good commission. Address H, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN. State experience, previous employment and salary wanted. Address B, box 431, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—HARP PLAYER, FULL DESCRIPtion of yourself with reply. Address B, box 437, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR BUSINESS CHANCE office. Mason preferred. No bums or idlers need apply. See GIVAN, 600 Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring. Call before noon.

WANTED—HELP, FIRST-CLASS MODEL AND instrument maker. State experience and references. HOTPOINT ELECTRIC HEATING CO., Ontario, Cal.

WANTED—DIAMOND SETTER BY A LEADING San Francisco firm; must be first-class; steady position; excellent wages. F. D., Room 100, 742 Market st., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—TAILORS—TAILORS—TAILORS. First class ladies' tailors, good mechanics no others. MAKK, 695 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—FOUR WORKING MINERS FOR ARIzona, German preferred. 312 S. Spring st. RAND CONSOLIDATED MINING CO.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO LEARN AUTOMObile business. Good proposition. Call at 2720 CENTRAL AVENUE.

WANTED—GOOD ALL-AROUND CHINESE BOY; little cooking. Call 556934.

WANTED—BOYS IN MACHINE SHOP. APPLY 121 RAILROAD ST.

WANTED—MANAGER FOR CAFE. MUST UNderstand business. Address B, box 511, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—A GOOD PATTERN MAKER AT BANFORD IRON WORKS, San Bernardino. Experience on heavy machinery necessary, at once.

WANTED — COAT MAKER. CALL AT ONCE. ROTHMAN AND CLAYMAN, 1312 S. Hobart Blvd. 72752.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HARD CANDY helper. KAHN-BECK CO., 600 Aliso.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL WHO KNOWS business section of city. 206 NEW HIGH ST.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SHOE REPAIR MAN in Pasadena. Call COLO. 3700.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—MEN, LEARN AUTO TRADE RIGHT, NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 12 years' successful, complete and practical instruction. 809 S. Figueroa. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS AUTO WASHER AND polisher; must be experienced man. Apply MR. M'KAY, Earle C. Anthony, Inc., 1000 S. Hope.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS REGISTER CLERK, about 18 or 19, high school graduate preferred. Apply to MR. TALBOT, Western Wholesale Co., Second and Los Angeles sts.

WANTED—2 GOOD LIVE CLEAN CUT YOUNG men for pleasant outside work. Money every day. Call after 4 o'clock. 301 CALIFORNIA BLDG.

WANTED—MAN OF GOOD HABITS AND REFERences, milk one cow and be about the place. Small wages. P.O. BOX 70, Lankershim, Cal.

WANTED—A CONVINCING TALKER TO HELP close deals, city references. Address H, box 240, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRESS FEEDER. APPLY DIAMOND PRINTING CO., 512 E. 9th st. Thursday morning.

WANTED—LEARN ACTUAL AUTO REPAIRING. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL, Phone 10822. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—SALESMAN, WHO HAS HAD INSIDE sales experience for outside work. Apply 9 to 11 at 221 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DELIVER GROCERies on wheel. PEERLESS GROCERY, 1913 W. 9th st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WHO THOROUGHLY understands water rubbing on automobiles. Apply L. A. ENAMELING CO., 118½ E. 9th.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS ELECTRO PLATER and polisher. Must know how to take care of solutions. Apply 1316 S. MAIN.

WANTED—ENGINEER, FIRST GRADE LICENSE. Apply LOS ANGELES PAPR MFG. CO., Alhambra ave. and San Pablo st.

WANTD—FOR BEST COLORED HELP RING COLEMAN, the Old Reliable. Broadway 2106; A2879.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FIRST-CLASS REPAIR work man for garage work, out of city. Apply 1011 SECURITY BLDG.

WANTED—GOOD HUSKY MACHINIST HELPER, salary $12 week to start. Apply 205 N. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED — A LIVE WIRE SALESMAN, GOOD opening for right man. Apply FRED L. WARD, 9th and Hill. See Mr. Washburn.

WANTED—BOY TO TIE BUNDLES. AMERICAN LAUNDRY, 11th and Los Angeles st.

WANTED—BOY AT GLOBE SIGN CO., 738½ S. HILL.

WANTED—GOOD PAINTER. 625 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female, (Investment Required.)

WANTED—GOOD BOOK-KEEPER, OFFICE MAN or woman, good salary, investment required $1000, fully protected; part of which can be paid out of income of business. Don't answer unless you have the cash and good references. Address C, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AMBITIOUS, TEMPERATE MAN, willing to work and steady, to take interest in splendid old-established, fine paying cash business on Hill street. Pays $27 week to start; bank references. $240 required, fully secured. Apply 607 S. HILL ST., ROOM 305.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO MEN WHO CAN ADvance $100 or more which will be returned two for one, within 60 days and a good position $25 per week. Inquire at 931 UNION OIL BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG WILLING MAN FOR FULL partnership, splendid opportunity, small investment required. $20 week to start. No experience necessary. Call 320 W. THIRD ST., Room 216.

WANTED—WISH TO MEET MAN CAPABLE OF superintending electric light, water and ice plant in growing New Mexico town; small investment required, either in cash or realty; salary $2500. Address BOX 411, Pomona, Cal.

WANTED—HAVE GOOD POSITION IN OLD REliable firm for industrious man; will pay $30 per week; no experience necessary; $300 cash required; good security. Call 4101 MONETA AVENUE.

WANTED—MANAGER FOR DEPARTMENT, salary $100; unusual opportunity, small investment required. Address H, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SOBER, RELIABLE WORKING PARTner in my automobile shop; I need a good man; $200 investment required. Phone SOUTH 7054-J.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN WHOLESALE LIGHT manufacturing with $500 to $700. Here is your opportunity. MANUFACTURER, 829 W. 11th st.

WANTED—STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS MAN WITH good executive ability and $10,000 for splendid position. Address W. R. B., 508 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED — HIGH-CLASS STENOGRAPHER, brains, executive ability, speed and accuracy essential; good knowledge of real estate and mortgages given preference; age under 35; salary $75; A1 concern; stenographer, age 18-20, start $10, advancement; stenographer and bookkeeper, age 18-21, $10; biller and stenographer, age 19 to 30; must be good at billing; start $12, advancement. BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE (Agency,) 928 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SETTLED GIRL OR WOMAN, GENeral housework and cooking, three adults, pleasant, steady and agreeable place; modern country home, all conveniences; 13 miles from Los Angeles; wages $25 to start. References required. Address H, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN TO TAKE CARE of two children, do washing and assist in general housework; must live with us; salary $20 per month. Address B, box 478, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK, ONE WHO UNderstands her business, none other need apply. 2530 OCEAN VIEW, before 10 o'clock; take Sixth st. car to Coronado, walk one block north.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, EXPERIenced in chamberwork, $25 per month and room. Call after 9 o'clock. 310 N. BROADWAY.

WANTED—GERMAN OR HUNGARIAN GIRL FOR cooking and general housework, four adults in family. Wages $35. Phone Wilshire 6069. 237 S. RAMPART BLVD.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY RELIABLE AND competent colored woman for general housework in family of two, and child. Reference required. HOLLYWOOD 3340. $30 per month.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL WORK IN printing office, knowledge of typewriting preferred; shorthand not needed; wages to start $6 per week. Address H, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WIDE AWAKE YOUNG WOMAN FOR man's hat store having experience trimming men's hats; must be fluent speaker. 528 S. SPRING.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SECOND GIRL for family of two, wages $35; Los Angeles references required. Apply 409 CONSOLIDATED REALTY BLDG.

WANTED—LADY TO ANSWER PHONE A FEW evenings a week and a couple hours a day for room and breakfast. Phone 557359; BDWY. 8360.

WANTED—ATTRACTIVE GIRL TO DEMONstrate novelty article to high class patronage. Must be unincumbered. Call today at WITZEL STUDIO, 811 S. Hill, from 12 to 2 p.m.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WAITRESS. CALL before 12. Don't call if not well EXPERIENCED. $9 week. Apply 5450 HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO WORK IN DININGroom and help serve at a small cafeteria and dairy lunch. Call 6374 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., Hollywood.

WANTED — LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSING, manicuring, facial massage. MACDONALD HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, 204 Mercantile Place. (See Instruction Course.)

WANTED—A REFINED YOUNG LADY HOUSEkeeper, one that is fond of children and a good needle woman. Address B, box 440, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — LADIES, GOOD OPPORTUNITY, learn beauty culture. LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile place. MRS. HARRIS. (See adv. "To Learn Trades.")

WANTED—CLEAN YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with light housework and help care for 1½ year old baby, permanent. PHONE 77704.

WANTED — COLORED WOMAN, LOTS OF GENeral housework at COLEMAN'S, the old reliable. Broadway 2106.

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED MANGLE GIRLS; also an experienced collar girl. HOLLYWOOD LAUNDRY, 1502 Cahuenga ave. Hollywood 2141; 579816.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH LIGHT housework, 2 in family. 4-room flat. Phone 568635.

WANTED—LADY TO TAKE CHARGE OF SMALL store, would prefer some one who could take an interest in the business. PHONE 74702.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FINISHER ON MEN'S coats. Apply BADOVER & DIAMOND, 223 W. Second, Room 230, Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED POWER MACHINE operators. LOS ANGELES HAT CO., 622 S. Broadway, Third Floor above Palace Market.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR COOKING AND housework. Apply 615 S. WESTERN AVE. Or phone 56605.

WANTED—A LADY TO DO SOME TYPING. CALL from eight-thirty to ten-thirty a.m., 1232½ W. NINTH ST., rear number.

WANTED — NEAT COLORED GIRL, GENERAL housework, good plain cook, references required. TEL. 56197.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED AND INEXPERIENCED collar girls. Apply QUALITY LAUNDRY, 1518 Paloma ave.

WANTED—OFFICE GIRL (HALF DAYS,) EXchange for tuition. CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chamber Commerce Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; all conveniences; private bath. $25-$28. 568613.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGE WOMAN TO DO housework, where there is children; no washing. 444 E. 42ND ST.

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 TO LEARN TAILORing trade, small pay while learning. Apply 618 S. SPRING, 5th floor.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR CHAMBERMAID WORK, mornings, room and wages. 711 CENTRAL AVENUE.

WANTED — GOOD WORKING HOUSEKEEPER, plain cooking and some washing. Call 556934.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITRESS. APPLY RAYMOND HOTEL, Pasadena.

WANTED—HELPER ON FINE MADE TO ORDER suits. Apply 410 TITLE GUARANTEE BLDG.

WANTED—ERRAND GIRL AT ONCE. CORNSON HAIR CO., 616½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK, CITY, $55; another, Montecito, $50; German cook, city, $50; upstairs and lady's maid, city, $40; 2 dining-room girls, institution, $25, found; second maid, San Diego, $35; butler, Pasadena, $55; second maid, country home, $35; first-class butler, $75; French second maid, Pasadena, $35; cook and butler, Pasadena, $90; mother and daughter, Pasadena, $60; house girls, many good places, city and country, $15 to $40. MRS. PATTEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED— YOUNG WOMEN desiring PERMANENT POSITIONS as TELEPHONE OPERATORS. EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADVANCEMENT. THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, 1320 S. Hope st.

WANTED—COUPLE, COOK, GARDENER AND chauffeur, $75; family cook, $50; general maid, Arizona, $35; cooking and downstairs, $40; another, $35; general work, 2 adults, $40; 1 adult, $35; 1 adult, nice place, $30; second maid, $35; child's nurse, $40; another, $30; 2 mother's helpers $20; cafeteria help; practical nurse, $40. BONDED SERVICE CO., 430 Broadway, Room 317.

WANTED—TYPIST AND GENERAL OFFICE ASsistant, wholesale experience, good personality and under twenty-five, $50-$55; stenographer, bond experience; stenographer for out of town, abstract or legal experience, $70-$75; stenographer, insurance experience, $45. Apply THE PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., Inc., agency, Suite 418 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—15 EXTRA WAITRESSES, 4 CAFE waitresses, El Paso, tickets here; 15 hotel waitresses; plain ironer, $30 and found; laundress; lunch waitresses; 4 side hall waitresses; confectionery waitresses; 3 chambermaids. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring st., Room 210.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FAMILY COOK, $60; child's nurse, $35; housegirl, Upland, nice place, $40; second maid, Pasadena, $40; housegirl, $40; another, $35; second maid, $35; housegirl, $35; many places from $15 to $35.
BUREAU OF SERVICE,
F3146. 253 S. Broadway. Main 2798.

WANTED—TWO WELL DRESSED, GOOD LOOKing young ladies of pleasing personality, who can recognize high class advertising proposition when they see it and can present the same and secure results. Those that qualify will receive excellent compensation. Call in person, 10:30 a.m., 401 San Fernando Bldg. MR. BOGAN.

WANTED—
SWEDISH AND GERMAN AGENCY,
101½ S. Broadway.
Scandinavian and German help. Cooks, maids, housegirls, nurses, chambermaids, waitresses, over 100 first class places; call early.

WANTED—TACTFUL YOUNG LADY (SINGLE) TO assist in collection of rents and management of a building; $15 per month and 3-room apartment; well located, close in. Answer immediately. Address B, box 443, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BRIGHT, NEAT APPEARING YOUNG lady stenographer, biller and clerical assistant, under 25; starting salary $12 per week.
EDUCATIONAL EXPERT COMPANY (Agency,) 704-705 Haas Bldg.

WANTED—2 FIRST CLASS COLORED CHAMBERmaids, big hotel, Imperial Valley, $30 per month and lunch; lots of tips; tickets at my office; must leave at once. COLEMAN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, Broadway 2106.

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK IN SIERRA Madre, 4 adults, no children; good room, no washing, $25. Call Thursday morning after 9:30 at 933 S. VERMONT AVE., Los Angeles. W. Ninth st. car.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OPERATORS ON SILK WAISTS. COME TO THE PLACE WHERE YOU GET PAID RIGHT AND TREATED RIGHT. JOSEPH ZUKIN, 724 S. LOS ANGELES ST., 4TH FLOOR.

WANTED — RELIABLE MAID FOR GENERAL housework. In small flat, 2 adults, one child in family. References required. Wages $25-$30. Prefer some one to go home nights. 2137 CANYON DRICVE, Hollywood. Phone 579935.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MILLINERY SALESlady, good salary. Apply this morning between 9 and 10, Millinery Dept., SWELLDOM, 535 S. Broadway.

WANTED—ENERGETIC, CAPABLE YOUNG WOMan of good appearance; office experience desirable; small salary, advancement. Apply Thursday forenoon, THE COMPANY OF PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 328-336 Herman W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY OF REFINEMENT—good personal appearance and business ability to become associated with an old established real estate company. No investment required. 485 S. HILL.

WANTED—LADIES, 18 TO 35, FOR LIGHT OFfice positions; experience not necessary; complete business education, including books in exchange for services. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—WOMEN UNDER 40 TO WORK mornings and evenings. We offer board, room and complete business course in exchange for services. Call or write MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—NEAT, STRONG WOMAN, LIVING IN vicinity of Pico and Figueroa, to do about two hours' housework daily in exchange for high-grade piano instructions. PHONE 21214.

WANTED — LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY CULture. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, oldest, largest, 227 Mercantile Place. See "Educational."

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL WHO DESIRES GOOD home rather than large wages. Phone HOLLYWOOD 3307.

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WANTED — SITUATION, LOCOMOTIVE CRANE engineer, 8 years' experience, age 30 years; best reference. Address F, box 77, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—POSITION BY CHINESE BOY, FAMily cook. 629 S. FAIR OAKS AVE, Pasadena, Cal.

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Cosy 5-room Bungalow,
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6-room gray bungalow, including dainty breakfast-room, practically new and modern, with many expensive and exclusive features, such as automatic water heater, electric baking ovens, woodstone sink, double laundry trays, concealed combination safe, 7x8-inch oak floors in all rooms, pedestal lavatory, solid-base bathtub, lawn in, sewer, large lot, Southwest; Manual Arts High School, Grand avenue car line; pay $200 cash and assume balance of $2800, payable $25 monthly. Call ELMER R. BARNES to be shown, Main 1273—60195; evenings South 4984-J. 1015 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.

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This property is right near the foothills, the soil is of excellent quality, well suited to poultry, fruit trees, truck farming, etc. Water piped under pressure from immense concrete reservoir.

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Young Valencia grove, best of soil, finest condition, aqueduct water, only $6500. S. M. SMITH, Harrison Bldg., San Fernando, Cal.

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RELINQUISHMENT 120 ACRES 2000 FEET ELEvation, water 60 feet, only one mile from railway station on good automobile road, good 4-room house, furnished, fine deep rich soil, some cleared and fenced, in Los Angeles county; fine for deciduous fruits, poultry, etc., cash or exchange. Address GARDENER, care Booth, 1515 Garfield avenue, South Pasadena.

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FOR SALE—SECTION AND HALF OIL LAND IN Ventura oil district, wells or boring on all sides, seepages on land show gasoline base, easy of access by road and railroad. $100 per acre. T. L. CHAPIN, 111 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—OWNER OF VALUABLE OIL LANDS in McKittrick-Midway wants buyer or responsible promoter; here two days. ROOM 374, New Rosslyn Hotel.

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FOR SALE—

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5 acres on boulevard, close in near Whittier car line, abundance cheap water. Trees 2 years old. Deep rich soil. Nice locality. Price only $750 per acre. Easy terms. Main 3604. CHAS. F. O'BRIEN CO., F2729. 315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

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Well furnished 100-room corner apartment, modern; always under present management; good income; rental under $5 room. Price $10,000, clear. Submit lots, acreage or bungalows.

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The furniture and lease of a close-in sixty-room apartment-house, rent $300 a month for 5 years. Will sell you the furniture at fifty cents on the dollar. Price $3000, one-half cash.

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Close in 110-room apartment-house, Westlake district; rent completely furnished, $675 a month. Apply for details.

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FOR SALE—EVERYTHING GOES FOR $375 IN hard cash, 24 rooms of good furnishings, rent $60 month, lease, all filled. Call soon. KEYSTONE CO., 657½ S. Hill.

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FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF NICE little apartment-house of 53 rooms in modern fireproof brick building, close in, 16 two rooms and 7 three rooms, nicely furnished and full of permanent guests; clearing every month outside of owner's double apartment, over $250; price $8000, $4000 cash will handle; no agents. Address F, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

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First-class apartment-house, on one of main streets, 54 rooms, 10-year lease. Price $40,000, mortgage $22,000. Will take smaller property for equity and assume $6000.

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FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD LOT AND BRICK STORE building on Central ave., fine condition, splendid location, value $10,000; mortgage $3000; will exchange for good CLEAR lots, Los Angeles, Venice, Ocean Park or Long Beach. Might assume on good income property. Address OWNER, B, box 579, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$13,500, CLEAR, LOT 50x150 to alley, on Santee near 11th st., with old house; want good flat building, will assume $5000. PHIN. B. STURGEON, 502 Grant Bldg. A3454.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR EASTERN BUSINESS property, $15,000, for Los Angeles. Owner in town. Address VICTORIA HOTEL, West 7th st., A. Dobbel.

FOR EXCHANGE — SPRING ST. PROPERTY. Value $500,000; mortgage $240,000. Good income. Want country property for equity. Full value or more. 224 S. SPRING. Room 303.

FOR EXCHANGE— Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—OAKLAND, OWN CLEAR 8-room, 2-story house, sleeping porch, basement, hardwood floors, concrete foundation, large gas furnace heater; lot 38x125, high ground, paved street. Cost $7000. Would like to trade for similar place in Los Angeles. Address B, box 501, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT OAKLAND PROPERTY for 5-room house in fine condition, 1333 Newton st. 6 doors from Central ave. Write Owner, SESSIONS, Moraga, Calif.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM BUNGALOW, 4924 Wilton place, for a 4 or 5-room bungalow, walking distance to 55th and Alameda. Call at 520 E. 25TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 CLEAR BUNGALOWS, TOtal value $9500, to exchange for bungalow, Swiss chalet or vacant lots in Wilshire district. What have you? ROLAND BOLGIANO, Haas Bldg. 62261.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1500, EQUITY IN A NEW 6-room dwelling at 430 E. 56th st., just west of South Park ave., for clear lot in Wilshire or Hollywood section. A3430. HUBBARD & GARDNER, owners, 308 Citizens Nat. Bank Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—100X135, SOUTH GRAND AVE., 5-room cottage, $7000; mortgage $1500. One lot clear. Want improved ranch. Address OWNER; 236 N. Griffin ave.

FOR EXCHANGE — $3500; 6-ROOM MODERN house, southwest, $1200 mortgage, for clear city lots. HOLWAY, A2806, 1008 Haas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY IN HOUSE AND LOT of $1200 for clear lot; house rented at $16 month. PHONE 52194, MAIN 5297.

FOR EXCHANGE— Lots.

FOR SALE—THE FIRST TWO VACANT LOTS south of 36th st., on the east side of Gramercy, 80x130 to alley; restrictions; $2000; good street work, sidewalks, cement curbs in and paid; real value $2600. There is a borrowed money mortgage of $1200; am instructed to take best offer for equity, 5 cents up. WALTER FRANKLIN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. Home telephone.

FOR EXCHANGE — SIXTEEN CLEAR LOTS, Oklahoma for equity here. Equities in lots for equity in bungalow. Address H, box 260, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT CLEAR LOT ON W. Vernon or vicinity; will trade $1000 equity in house and lot. PHONE 52194, MAIN 5297.

FOR EXCHANGE— Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—AN IDEAL SUBurban ranch within 3 miles from Arlington Hotel in Santa Barbara; 30 acres full bearing walnuts, 25 acres highest class of bean soil, 10-room modern residence, steam heated and surrounded by family orchard of various fruit and other ornamental trees to be found only on a high class suburban home ranch with an abundant income; also 4-room ranch house, stables and garage, storerooms, pumping plant, reservoir, 8000-gallon cistern, large number of live oak and eucalyptus trees, ample water supply. Will consider clear exchange for equity to $25,000, or may assume on good income. ROMBOTIS INVESTMENT CO., exclusive agents, 416 Trust and Savings Bldg. Phone 67858.

FOR EXCHANGE—$13,600, CHOICE BROADWAY business lots, corner, Glendale; submit clear California, preferably acreage, for quick deal. Also have 40-acre improved ranch, having double street frontage, Burbank, $30,000, clear; widow wants modern flats. Also have $6000 to loan on modern city income, will divide. MILLER, 527 Bixel. 53409.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT SMALL CITY OR SUburban home. Have five acres at Van Nuys on Broadway near new school building. Fine level land; good soil. Will subdivide into 25 beautiful lots fifty-foot each. Price $7000; mortgage $3000, 2½ years. ALLEN, with Goodman & Phillips, 515-16 Haas Bldg. Main 3079; F2224.

FOR EXCHANGE—AT BELL, NEAR HUNTINGton Park, 1 acre bearing fruit, modern 6-room house, garage, with 3 rooms, $4000. Want lots or house to $2500. STEWART & TINKLEPAUGH, F2234. 816 Trust & Savings Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE— Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—THREE LOTS, BALBOA ISland, cost $1700. Want auto and will give best of deal if you assume small incumbrance on lots. Address A, box 326, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR WILL SACRIFICE FOR cash—Ocean Park, on Paloma ave., near the ocean. 11-room house, 2 baths. Owner must dispose of it. Address H, box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE— Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—

$50,000, $100,000 or $150,000.

Of choice, clear alfalfa land within 40 miles of Los Angeles; best alfalfa district in the State, with good buildings and plenty of cheap water. Owner wants good business or apartments. No use to offer punk or heavily mortgaged property on any of this property. Small mortgage will be accepted if income justifies. See HADDOCK & HULTS.

FLACK REALTY COMPANY, 10695. 733 S. Hill st. Main 2226.

FOR EXCHANGE—5 ACRES, ONTARIO, WELL improved, all set to fruits and table grapes, vegetables between trees, house, barn, store house, horse, surrey, wagon, implements and tools, abundance water. Worth $5500; mortgage $1000. Want L. A. Bungalow for equity. Will give excellent deal. CHAS. F. STOKES CO., 616 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—120 ACRES, 6½ MILES EAST of Ramsey Station, Mendocino county, 60 acres under cultivation, 15 more can be cultivated, balance pasture, good well, 4 living springs and creek flowing year around, cabin, barn about 40x60, smoke house, shed, granary; fine hog district; $3000; mortgage $850. Want clear L. A. for equity, will give excellent deal. CHAS. F. STOKES CO., 616 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—L'SHIM-BURBANK AC'RG.

$14,000—20-a. highly-imp. hog, dairy and alfalfa ranch, pumping plant. Want city, $10,000.

$30,000—60 acres subdivided into acre tracts, covered with fruit trees; want trade to $25,000.

$16,000—40 acres, city water; trade to $10,000.

$15,000—Orange grove; want city to $20,000.

ROBINSON & KRUGER, 511 Hibernian, A1678.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY PLACE on those grand heights between Los Angeles and Venice; new modern house and garage; $7500. Want Hollywood or submit something. EDWARD C. CRIBB CO., Consolidated Realty Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — IMPERIAL VALLEY IMproved farms for Los Angeles or beach income; also 80 acres, Perris Valley, $12,000, mortgage $5500. Will divide to suit; want city or near. RANKIN, 556944. 915 Francisco.

FOR EXCHANGE—

I have bargains in Tulare and Fresno county alfalfa ranches.

E. D. COWAN, 228 Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. Main 3440.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES OF ANTELOPE Valley land, want furniture or lots at beach. OWNER, 2921 La Salle ave.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD EQUITIES IN TWO choice lots, best part, Soto street, Boyle Heights. Fine for duplex houses, flats or apartments. Also two unincumbered lots, Santa Monica. Short distance from municipal pier and new amusement center. Submit vacant or improved Los Angeles property. See owner, R. VERCH, 443 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR WHAT HAVE YOU; 2 lots, corner W. 8th and Wilton Place; 50x140; first lien $1650, 3 years and lot on Gramercy Place, near W. 10th st., 55x150, first lien $1600 for 3 years. OWNER, Phones 568459 and Wilshire 5862.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evenings The Times' telephone switchboard is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid delay by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR TO LET. A SPLENDID four-acre orchard with small house and hennery, 10 minutes from Huntington Park by jitney. Will divide if necessary or exchange for Los Angeles or suburban residence property. ALLEN CROSSAN, owner. Phone 28469.

FOR EXCHANGE—M. L. WICKS SELLS AND EXchanges property here and elsewhere. Loans negotiated. Direct agents' co-operation invited. 706 STORY BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE — BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your present property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., 2nd and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MATCH ANY TRADE IN farm or city property in any State. J. A. KING, room 1, Loos Block, Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—CAN EXCHANGE YOUR PROPerty. Submit proposition; 24 hours. GOODWIN, 426 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE—I. H. SHOEMAKER WILL EXchange your property. 1111 Story Bldg. 66331, Main 6331.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE MATCH ANY REAL EState exchange in 24 hours. 224 S. SPRING, room 303.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

YOUR OPPORTUNITY—$1 AN ACRE FOR OPTION ON OIL AND GAS LAND, IN CALIFORNIA. PAY FIVE DOLLARS AN ACRE WHEN FIRST WELL IS COMPLETED AND RECEIVE A DEED FOR YOUR LAND. LIMITED ACREAGE. QUICK ACTION; MAKE RESERVATIONS. I WILL CALL AND CLOSE. ADDRESS H, BOX 128, TIMES OFFICE.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE endeavor to telephone ads to The Times the same time Saturday evening. Do it Friday or early Saturday and avoid confusion.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

WE HAVE CLOSED TWO SALES THIS WEEK, that's eight this month. You'll have to hurry if you want to buy a place of business. We guarantee every place as represented. Look at these specials for this week.

$350—CAFE, 26 stools, S. Spring St.; rent only $35. See this quick.

$450—CIGAR stand, guarantee $150 mo. net.

$950—WELDING shop, fully equipped, all kinds of work; $500 cash and terms.

$2000—CIGARS, Confectionery, close-in, transfer cor., very fine equipment; trial given.

$2200—BAKERY, very close-in, estab. 25 yrs., sales average $40 cash daily; snap.

$3000—GEN. Merchandise, nearby town, no fixtures to buy; guarantee $200 mo. net.

Many others too numerous to mention.

See CLINE & JACKSON, 527 Security Bldg.

DRY CLEANING PLANT, NOTHING LIKE IT anywhere, has new patented machine that does the finest work possible. This was started as an experimental plant and owner has such demand for the machine, he has decided to sell and give his whole time to the selling of the machines. It is positively clearing $250 a month; no experience required and $1000 cash buys it. We'll prove every statement made. RATTRAY, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg.

$1000—HOME BAKERY AND DELICATESSEN WITH FURNISHED ROOM. THIS IS THE CLEANEST AND MOST UP-TO-DATE LITTLE PLACE IN THE CITY. DOING A BUSINESS OF OVER $30 DAILY AND INCREASING. WHEN YOU SEE THIS YOU WILL LOOK NO FURTHER. IT IS THE THING YOU WANT. $500 DOWN WILL HANDLE IT. SEE GIVAN, 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING.

GROCERY — THIS IS NOT ONE OF THOSE stores that you can buy for the best cash offer, but is a good steady business established ten years, in a splendid locality, making good money. It will appeal to anyone looking for something better than the ordinary run of stores. Price $800 and invoice stock about $1800. RATTRAY, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg.

WE ARE ERECTING A NEW BUILDING ON Figueroa between 11th and 12th, and we desire to meet a party interested in controlling the painting and electric end of the business, a splendid opportunity for the right party to step into an established and profitable business, experience not necessary, but requires a business man. THE GEO. W. SMITH CO., Inc., 929 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT THE BEST BARgain in Los Angeles for small grocery we have it; fresh stock, $400; no fixtures to buy; four rooms, rent $15; one month free; lease, good location; nice little home; here 6 years, 70 years old, must quit; will guarantee this place to be all right. For particulars call BOYLE 2200.

FOR SALE—ESTABLISHED CASH OFFICE BUSIness that is earning $3000 yearly and can be doubled within 6 months; no real estate or bank. $3500 cash, or will take partner one-third interest. This is small corporation, open to full investigation. Best proposition in California. Don't answer unless you have the money and mean business. Address C, box 83, TIMES OFFICE.

BARBER SHOP FOR SALE—TEN CHAIRS, RUNning full; also cigar stand in connection; will sell as a whole or separate; rent reasonable; retiring from business; must have at least 50 per cent. cash; best location in city of San Francisco. 33 POWELL ST.

PARTNER WANTED — $350 PART CASH AND services, secures half interest in old established business; good weekly salary and half monthly profits to ambitious party; beginner's opportunity. Address TA, box 569, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

I MUST HAVE MONEY, SO AM OFFERING half-interest in my moving-picture theater for $800; will guarantee you $30 week net; I will also refund your money in one year if you tell me you are not satisfied. Address G, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

BAKERY—ONE OF THE FEW GOOD PROPOSItions to be found in a suburban town, eight miles from Los Angeles. Same owner five years. It will stand your investigation. Price $1800. Another good small one for $900. RATTRAY, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg.

PICTURE THEATER, LARGE SEATING CApacity, elegant equipment. No opposition. A hustler should make $100 per week. Will sell on small payment down. For bargains in theaters, large or small See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

$100,000 MANUFACTURING CORPORATION wants capable man to manage office and salesmen. Possibilities unlimited. From $300 to $700 capital necessary. You handle own money. Will pay expenses to Chicago if you are man we want. MANAGER, 1012 Republic Bldg., Chicago.

I HAVE FOR SALE, I THINK, THE BEST PAYing grocery store in Los Angeles. Average sales $200 a day. Owner suddenly called east and must leave in a few days. If you want this big money maker, see W. E. STOCKWELL, 203 Union Oil Bldg. A1528.

FOR EXCHANGE — $6500, CLEAR; BUILDING, stock groceries and meat market; best in a thousand miles; add residence if wanted; $60 to $80 per day; got the trade; want ranch. MATHES, 305 Citizens Bank Bldg.

WANTED — OPPORTUNITY FOR LADY TO BEcome active partner with successful business man in high-class, exclusive business; some capital and good references necessary. MR. KIDD, Angelus Hotel.

MANUFACTURING BUSINESS, WILL STAND THE closest investigation, $8000 required, one of the best paying propositions ever placed on the market. Don't miss this opportunity of buying a staple business. 304 UNION OIL BLDG. R. L. Cressy, F1852.

IF YOU HAVE IMPROVED OR COUNTRY property, worth $10,000 and want a business clear of incumbrance making good money and having contracts with the best mercantile houses in Los Angeles, see RATTRAY, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg.

CASH CORNER GROCERY, BIG DISCOUNT, BIG sacrifice; owner called east, thoroughly dependable; 6 living-rooms, rent $1 day; cash counter trade; 4 living-rooms; stock invoices $700; all fixtures included. No extra charges. Call 511 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

WANTED—PARTNER IN MOVING PICTURE business. If you have $250 cash I have theaters and proposition that will interest you. Phone 54181, or address H, box 78, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE STORE IN VICTORville, Cal. There is also good opportunity to include undertaking with business. Will bear investigation. Address 262 W. E ST., Colton, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE—ONE OF THE BEST fully equipped 5-chair barber shops in Ocean Park, located in Merrit-Jones Hotel, low rental, long lease to responsible party. G. M. JONES, 137 Marine st., Ocean Park.

$10,000—PICTURE THEATER, THE FINEST house in Southern California, and now clearing $800 per month. New house, new equipment. Will stand investigation any way you wish to check it; exclusive. See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

FOR SALE—½ INTEREST IN GOOD VULCANIZing business, $1000, good reasons for selling. Phone owner for appointment. MAIN 6527.

FOR SALE—DOWNTOWN GROCERY, DOING AN all-cash business of more than $100 a day. No delivery. Will sell at invoice. Only live men need apply. Call at 118 W. SEVENTH ST., and ask for LOUIS.

$3000—CREAMERY AND BUTTERMILK STORE. Will furnish bank references to prove $200 to $350 monthly profits. Equipment and stock invoices $4700; will teach buyer all details of business. Call 208 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

HERE'S A CHANCE TO GET A GOOD WELL-fitted up confectionery business, located in the best part of the city for good property worth $1500 clear. RATTRAY, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg.

CLEANEST, RELIABLE BUSINESS, STEADY REturns. Absolutely safe. Consider 1917 Ford part, $1000. Address Y, box 135, TIMES OFFICE.

"SPECIAL"—SOME MONEY BUYS INTEREST substantial business. You never draw less $200 and upward, for personal services. Particulars, 355 S. BROADWAY, Room 201.

$300—PICTURE THEATER, LEASE ON suburban house, fully furnished; no opposition; just the place for man and wife. See RYAN, 730 S. Olive st. Film Ex. Row.

FOR SALE — BAKERY AND LUNCH COUNTER business in Yellow Pine Mining district; present owner unable to attend to it. Just the place for a baker and wife to make big money. Price reasonable. Address BOX 32, Goodsprings, Nev.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS," for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

BE AN EXCEPTION—

Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

BEST PAYING RETAIL BUSINESS FOR INVESTment required, near 5th and Broadway, clears $650 month. Investigation solicited. MYRON WELLS, 530 Metropolitan Bldg. F3823.

FOR LEASE—UNIVERSITY MOVING PICTURE Theater, 931 W. Jefferson st., room for 600 seats. See owner, 3825 W. ADAMS.

GROCERY BARGAIN, BIGGEST SACRIFICE EVER offered, beautiful plate glass and mahogany fixtures, absolutely new; forced to quit account sickness; $3000 will handle. Phone BROADWAY 2709, HOME 12275.

FOR SALE — COMPLETE RESTAURANT FIXtures, in fine location. Ready to open. Make offer. BOYLE 2285.

FOR SALE—THEATER NORMANDIE, 1276 W. 39th st., 350 chairs, in good running order; price $1000; lease of building $50 month. Owner, VERMONT 1055.

WANTED—FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE PARTY as associate in profitable business; no investment required. Address F, box 218, TIMES OFFICE.

DRY GOODS AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS, good clean stock at old prices; no dealers. 2305 S. GRAND.

FOR SALE — BAKERY ROUTE NEAR LOS ANgeles, with or without automobile; no competition. Address H, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SOBER, RELIABLE WORKING PARTner in my automobile shop; I need a good man; $200 investment required. Phone SOUTH 7054-J.

GROCERY STOCK AND FIXTURES, WORTH $550. Bring $400 and take the place. Rent $10 for store. No agents. 1320 E. SLAUSON. Phone 27114.

FOR SALE—SMALL DRY GOODS AND NOTION business, reasonable; living rooms in rear; cheap rent. 5715 YORK BLVD.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAIN. Largest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 316-320 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, DOING BUSINESS $1100 monthly. Stock in first-class condition. Apply 3129 WESTERN AVE.

FOR SALE — $300, MEAT MARKET FIXTURES at 4045 MONETA AVE. Good location. Call South 462—Home 29979.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—GOOD CORNER GROcery. Inquire 1431 W. VERNON. Vermont 2881.

SHOE STORE WANTED IN VAN NUYS, NOT one there, 3000 people to draw from. Room next to drug store. Rent $40.

FOR SALE—CAFE DOING GOOD BUSINESS, LOW rent and lease, $850; terms. Address owner, VC, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

$1500 HANDLES PROPOSITION CLEARING $100 month; trial given. Address H, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

$700—CONFECTIONERY AND SODA FOUNTAIN DOING $25 BUSINESS DAILY, NOW AND WILL INCREASE. THERE IS ONE LIVING-ROOM AND LARGE WORK SHOP FULLY EQUIPPED FOR MAKING CANDY. THIS IS A BUSY LITTLE PLACE AND CAN BE BOUGHT FOR A FRACTION OF THE COST TO EQUIP. SEE GIVAN, 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING.

FOR EXCHANGE — THE BEST $1000 (CLEAR) restaurant, money maker for right party; want equity in small cottage, clear lot or good automobile. Address B, box 449, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

RESTAURANT. IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A snap, take a look at this one; up-to-date and doing good business. Must leave at once on account of other business. Owner, 2043 E. 7TH.

NEWSPAPER AGENCY, OVER 600 TIMES AND Examiners, over 900 Sunday; evening paper in connection; price $2000. Address B, care MR. AUSTIN, Wayne Hotel, E. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—MODERN 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, with small store on front of large lot; opposite grammar school in Sawtelle. Price $1500. MAIN 556; 61675.

HAVE STOCK OF GROCERIES, DON'T UNDERstand the business, make offer on stock and fixtures. See MR. TODD, 412 Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1; OTHER PRINTING in proportion. REMS PRINTING CO., 227 Mercantile place. A9855.

FOR SALE—UP-TO-DATE GROCERY STORE DOing good business; must sell at once for cash, leaving the city. PHONE A9986.

DON'T PROCRASTINATE—

Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

CORNER GROCERY, TWO LIVING-ROOMS, $1300 or fixtures, $350 and invoice stock. No agents. See store at 431 E. 9TH ST.

GROCERY, WILL INVOICE OR SELL FOR $1500. Phone MAIN 827. In rooming-house district.

POOLROOM WITH 7 TABLES FOR SALE AT low price, at 227½ W. FIRST ST.

DRY GOODS, FINE OPENING, NEW BUILDING, corner of HOOVER and VERNON, cheap rent.

FOR QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS CHANCES WANTED—

WANTED—FOR SPOT CASH, STOCKS OF MERchandise, any amount, for spot cash; also fixtures. Money advanced on consignments. J. J. SUGARMAN AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE, 142-148 N. Spring st., 112-116 Court st. F4810—Main 3114.

WANTED—WILL FINANCE OR PROMOTE ANY legitimate enterprise. For interview, give phone and details. Address X, box 484, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GROCERY OR GENERAL STORE, city or country, $6000 or less; have $4000 income city property and cash. OWNER, 5525 Central ave.

WANTED—DRY GOODS OR GROCERY FOR 3 lots in Long Beach and good family auto, about $2000. PHONE 599217.

WANTED — GOOD SMALL BUSINESS PRICED right, city or country. Owner only. Address B, box 573, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—HAVE $250 TO INVEST, WITH SERVices, no mining, real estate, groceries, patents. Address F, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WILL BUY SMALL BUSINESS OF ANY KIND IN Santa Monica or Venice. Owner only. For cash. Address H, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

WILL BUY, CASH DEAL, STORE, SUBURBAN OR adjacent town. E. DUNBAR, 123 E. 4th st.

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SWAPS— All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED — AUTOMOBILE that can be built over. Must be in good mechanical order, in exchange for beautifully located Alhambra lot. All street work in and paid for. Phone F6138 or WILSHIRE 807.

FOR EXCHANGE—$100 CASH AND THE BEST trade offered in ten days takes my powerful 7-passenger car in good condition, worth $600. Submit anything. Address F, box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — FURS REMODELED FOR anything I can use, fur rugs repaired. 431 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 2 LOTS AT WESTGATE 100x150, make offer Ford auto or what? A1092. 608 UNION OIL BLDG.

MONEY TO LOAN— Real Estate and Improvements.

QUICK SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS AT MUCH better than usual rates for short or long time loans on improved property. Actual gold coin in your hands within 24 hours. No commission or bonus charged. A square deal. Also pay best cash price for contracts, mortgages and trust deeds. See us before you sacrifice your papers. MORTGAGE ASSETS COMPANY, 628 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Phone 11206.

NOW AVAILABLE, 6 PER CENT., $100,000 OR less for improved Southern California or San Joaquin Valley ranches, or close-in city. Special 7 per cent. funds, various amounts for residential. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 1217 Haas Bldg., 219 W. 7th, Main 8510; 13114.

MONEY TO LOAN—

On improved city property.

Or for building, on easy terms of repayment. STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION, 223 S. Spring st.

TO LOAN—

$300 TO $30,000.

Lowest rates, CITY or COUNTRY. Money waiting. No appraisal fees. R. W. MOYER, 316 Title Insurance Bldg. F5107, Main 1511. Fifth and Spring.

P. C. COMPANY, HEAD BUILDING, SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money direct to borrower, amounts $1000 to $25,000, on orchards, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches, in San Joaquin Valley.

TO LOAN—SUMS OF $1000 TO $20,000, 6 AND 7 per cent. Quick action on A-1 security. FRANK L. FRARY, 621 Van Nuys Bldg. F2208. Main 3633.

TO LOAN — MONEY, ANY AMOUNT ON CITY or country, current rates, quick action, least expense. Make application today. Main 3604. FRED C. SMITH, F2729. 315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT, ON VACANT or improved. Building loans a specialty. Current rates. CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO., F3121. 504-505 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

HAVE $50,000 AVAILABLE FOR SHORT-TIME building loans, mortgages and trust deeds. MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CO., F3290. 411 Investment Bldg. Bdwy. 7735.

TO LOAN — $1000 TO $50,000 ON CITY AND country real estate at current rates. A2180. McCONNELL & IRVINE, Main 2180. 835 Security Bldg.

SEE US FOR FIRST MORTGAGE LOANS, INTEREST 6 AND 7 PER CENT. YOU DEAL DIRECT WITH PRINCIPALS AND GET PROMPT SERVICE. ROBINSON & ODENHEIMER, 313 STORY BLDG.

$500,000 TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE, WILL divide in sums to suit. Building loans a specialty. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

CITY AND COUNTRY LOANS, LOWEST RATES. Quick money for seconds. CROWE, 427 Story Bldg. 65885. Broadway 7706.

HAVE CLIENT WILL LEND $100,000 IN UNITS of $5000 or more, city realty, interest current rate. GEORGE W. PEARSON, 509 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 3891.

MONEY TO LOAN—AN EVEN $4500 AND AN even $7000 for good first mortgages, Los Angeles or Pasadena real estate. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

AMPLE PRIVATE MONEY AVAILABLE IMmediately, first or second mtg. loans. No delays. ROMBOTIS INVESTMENT CO., 416 Trust & Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring. 67858.

MONEY TO LOAN—FOR BUILDING. IF YOU have a clear lot and want to build on it, I will lend you the cost of building. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

TO LOAN — MONEY WAITING. $1400, $1500, $2000, $3500, $10,000, lowest rates; quick action. I also buy mortgages and real bargains. FRANK BAIERSKI, 203 Bryson Bldg.

BUILDING LOANS, 3 TO 5 YEARS; APARTMENTS, flats, bungalow courts, or garage. Apply A. KAULBACK, 507 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F4869.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS, MONEY waiting. ERNEST R. FAIR CO., 517 Grant Bldg. F6296.

TO LOAN—MONEY ON REAL ESTATE, CITY or country. H. KELLNER, 220 Security Bldg. F5288.

PRIVATE MONEY, 5½ TO 7, CITY, COUNTRY, or building loans. LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776. Main 5578.

R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 WILCOX BLDG., LOANS on city or country. Building loans a specialty. Prompt attention to applications.

$300 TO $3000 LOANS, CITY, BEACH, COUNtry. CAMPBELL, 519 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 11130, Main 7778.

SIX PER CENT. MONEY, CITY OR RANCHES. S. R. EARNEST & CO., 831 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Hugh K. Walker, Jr., S. Rhea Earnest.

TO LOAN—$1000 FOR ONE YEAR, CONSIDER good vacant, might buy mortgage. FOWLER, 10525, Main 60.

AMOUNTS ON HAND AT 7 PER CENT. $750, $900, $1200, $1500, $2000, $3000. MORSE SPERRY CO., 608 Union Oil Bldg.

I HAVE $1000, $1500, $1750, $2000 AND $2500 to loan on L. A. residence secured by property first mortgage at 7 per cent. My commission 2 per cent. CONANT, Main 505 or F3231.

MONEY TO LOAN—AT 6 AND 7, AT ALL TIMES on improved real estate. GOODRICH REALTY CO., 2004 East First st. Boyle 1182—41800.

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES ON CITY real estate. F. H. EVARTS, 804 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 2868; A4959.

HAVE $3000 ON HAND TO LOAN, 7 PER CENT. O. A. TORGERSEN, Main 60, 10525.

QUICK ACTION ON APPLICATIONS FOR ANY amount on real estate security; current rates. DAVIS-PARKS, 915 Story Bldg. 62639, Main 8680.

SPECIAL MONEY—WANT GOOD APPLICATIONS. Can make your loans. H. T. ALEXANDER, 712 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 11300—Main 4511.

MONEY TO LOAN WITHOUT COMMISSION—$3000, $2000, $100, 7 per cent. Address H, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LOAN—$1000 TO $50,000, 5, 6, 7 PER cent., residences, apartments, business, ranches. CHAPPEL, 616 Lissner Bldg.

TO LOAN — $3500, 2 YEARS, 7 PER CENT. Phone WILSHIRE 1733.

MONEY TO LOAN— Real Estate and Improvements.

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Residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches.

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Straight building loans a specialty.

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WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS ON real estate in Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000 at moderate rates; we loan our own capital and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners.

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Second mortgage money.

Quick loans, same day of application; $50 to $1000; one to twelve months' time. First or second mortgage; city or country.

No commission. No title fees. Our own money. Taxes, interest and assessments paid.

WATERMAN & CO., 904 Merchants National Bank Bldg. Corner 6th and Spring sts.

CHEAP MONEY—QUICK SERVICE, any amount on good Real Estate.

Will buy mortgages and trust deeds. No discount. 821 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG. Main 176, F2135.

MONEY TO LOAN IN LARGE OR SMALL amounts, current rates, answers on city loans in 24 hours. We make a specialty of country loans; our ten years' experience enables us to give you the best of service. Call 224 SOUTH SPRING, room 303.

QUICK LOANS, FIRST OR SECOND MORTGAGE, $25 to $1000, 1 to 12 months; money same day; our own funds, no commission or title fees; mortgages, trust deeds and contracts purchased. PACIFIC LOAN CO., 1125 Title Insurance Bldg., cor. 5th and Spring. Phones Main 3616; F5580.

MONEY TO LOAN—
MORTGAGES)
LOANS) at current rates.
BUILDING LOANS)

JOSEPH M. GORE CO., 807-808 L. A. Investment Bldg. Main 4161. Phones. Home F3912.

$25,000 TO LOAN—

$300 TO $5000.

On seconds. If you need money for escrow, taxes, interest, or to close real estate deal. Our own funds. No commission. Prompt action.

LAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION, 905 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

BUILDING LOANS—

We have money to lend on straight 3-year mortgage, where we do the building. Positively no commission charged.

SEABOARD CONSTRUCTION CO., F3912. M. 4161. 808-9 Investment Bldg.

I HAVE ANY PART OF $20,000 TO LOAN— AT 5½ PER CENT.

City or country; prefer to deal with principals direct. JAMES DONAHUE, 802-4 Title Insurance Bldg. Main 3345; A4875.

MONEY TO LOAN—I HAVE $2500 WHICH I will lend to build a double bungalow in Los Angeles or Hollywood. The lot must be clear. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

MONEY AT 6 AND 7 PER CENT ON CITY OR country property. No red tape or delays. Will loan 50 per cent. of value.

J. BURRIS MITCHEL, 704 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 3288.

HAVE $500, $1000, $1500, $2500, CITY, COUNtry, ranch. Address PD, box 337, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

$100,000, IN ANY AMOUNTS, ON CITY IMproved or ranches. NICKLIN, 500 Grant. 14609, Main 2394.

TO LOAN—$600 AT 8, $1000 AT 7 PER CENT. SMITH, F5785, 503 Higgins Bldg.

RING 550026 IF YOU WANT LARGE OR SMALL loans of any kind. Principals only.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 7 PER CENT. A. J. HOFFMAN, 604 Washington Bldg.

$2000, $3000, $3500, $5000, $8000, $9000 TO loan. HARRY JACKINS, 616 Union Oil Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN— Salaries, Chattels and Collateral.

MONEY LOANED ON

JEWELRY, FURNITURE, AUTOMOBILES, ETC. INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT. PER MONTH. ABSOLUTELY NO OTHER CHARGES.

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MONEY LOANED TO PEOPLE OWNING furniture, or a piano; easy terms. Confidential transactions.

FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY, S.E. corner 4th and Broadway. Entrance 4th st. F3421. 529 Mason Bldg. Bdwy. 5171.

IF YOU OWN FURNITURE OR A PIANO AND need a little money we are the people to see. Call, phone or write. Hours, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. F6512. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY, Main 4018, 509 Security Bldg., S. E. corner Fifth and Spring sts.

LOANS—YOU MAY USE YOUR CAR AND BORrow private money upon it through Mr. Wilkon. Will loan on personal security or buy short time paper. Bank references. 509 TRUST SAV. BLDG., corner Sixth and Spring. A1028.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES, satisfactory terms. You retain use of car. Hours 9 to 5. Evenings, 7 to 8. MR. VAUGHN, 1233 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 15681, Main 5585.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES, furniture and ranch stock; any amount; easy terms. MR. SMITH, 508 Van Nuys Bldg. Hours 10 to 12:30. F3700, Main 1451.

PHOENIX LOAN CO., 1027 BLACK BLDG. Money loaned on diamonds and jewelry. Also on late model automobiles to responsible parties, while in use or in storage; reasonable rates.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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DIAMONDS ARE SAFE LEFT WITH US. INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT., PER MO. No other charges. Loan any amount. Our own money. Confidential. Private rooms. Established 14 years. REFERENCES: Any bank or jewelry firm. Diamonds kept Hellman Bank Deposit Vault.

KUSEL LOAN COMPANY, 306-7 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring. F3206. Bdwy. 3225.

MONEY LOANED DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, 1 TO 2 per cent., absolutely no other charges; diamonds kept in your own sealed package in deposit vault until redeemed. Furniture, pianos, automobiles in storage. Low rate on real estate, reliable, 20 years in business. Loan my own money. All business strictly confidential. Bank references.

THEO. J. WELK, 206 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and Bdwy. A2102. Main 8577.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?

We loan on diamonds, automobiles, jewelry, silverware, pearls, pianos, typewriters, furs, rugs and all valuable articles. Private rooms. Confidential.

MARKWELL & COMPANY, 300 Citizens National Bank Bldg.

DIAMOND LOANS—1 PER CENT. REFERENCES. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY.

$10,000, three years, 7 per cent. interest.

New, 2-story, 20-room, 4-family flat building of Old English design; strictly modern in every detail; hardwood floors throughout; old ivory and mahogany interior finish. Corner lot, 74x178; near 16th and Western ave. Income $210 per month. Value $20,000.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, 4th Floor, Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Broadway. 10345—Phones—Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—MONEY FOR CHOICE FIRST MORTgages.

$1000—Pretty bungalow, worth $2500.

$1500—Modern bungalow, worth $3500.

$1600—2-story residence, worth $4000.

$3500—2-story Westlake home, $8000.

$3500—New flats, worth $8000.

$4000—Beautiful home, Pasadena, $9000.

$6000—Apartment-house, worth $14,000.

And others from $500 to $10,000.

STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

WANTED — AN OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS wishes to expand; secure as a bank. Want about $10,000. Can give the best of references. For interview, address B, box 534, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — $1000, 90 DAYS, 2 PER CENT. month; have first trust deed of $1300, due 8 months as collateral; will make assignment and give collateral note; security 6-room house, N.W. ALLEN, F2224, M. 3079.

WANTED—$35,000, 7, DOWNTOWN BRICK business block, good income, moral risk A1, part of money used for improvements. Principals call F. H. EVARTS, 804 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY—$4000 ON CHOICE INCOME property. Bank appraisement $8500. Lot 70x200 and two-story residence. Act promptly. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

WANTED—$6000, 7 PER CENT., ORANGE ST., near Westlake Park; 50x150; 8 rooms, rent $35 per month; value $12,500. Allen, with GOODMAN & PHILLIPS, 515-16 Haas Bldg. M. 3079. F2224.

WANTED—$6000, 7, WESTLAKE, 18-ROOM, 2-story house, lot 50x135. Income $125. Good moral risk. Principals only. Value $15,000. EVARTS, 804 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 8868; A4959.

WANTED—$1250, FIVE ROOMS, PAY 8 PER cent., will pay back to make read 7; income $15 month. Call F1370. 922 INV. BLDG. Value $2500.

WANTED — $6500, CORNER FLAT BUILDING, near Central ave. and Adams; income $130 month. Good loan. DAVIS-PARKS, 915 Story. 62639, Main 8680.

WANTED—$1200, 8 PER CENT., FIVE ROOMS, rents $15. 2 per cent. commission to party furnishing money. Call owner, WEST 2887.

WANTED—BY PRIVATE OWNER, $1650, LARGE, beautiful Wilshire property, faces Gramercy place, surrounded by mansions. Call OWNER, Phones 568459, Wilshire 5862.

WANTED—$4000, 10 PER CENT., 6 MONTHS, to complete improvement on close-in income property; good for $225 per month income. See me, FRANK L. FRARY, 621 Van Nuys Bldg. F2208. Main 3633.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY.

$6000, three years, 7 per cent. interest.

First mortgage on new and very beautiful ten-room residence of white plaster construction; all new and modern design and interior finish; hardwood floors; two tile baths; garages. Lot, 70x125, at 24th and Gramercy. Value $13,500.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, 4th Floor, Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Broadway. 10345—Phone—Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—$125,000 ON $320,000, W. SEVENTH. Class "A" and "C" improvements; earning $15,000.

$15,000, 7 per cent., on bank appraisement of $40,000, of 320 acres, near Perris; 150 inches, 16-ft. lift, water; underground irrigation system; buildings, etc. We also have other applications. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 1217 Haas Bldg., 219 W. Seventh st. Main 8510, 13114.

WANTED—WE HAVE ON HAND SIX GOOD applications for loans on local real estate. They run from $2500 to $30,000, and will stand strict investigation. If you have money to loan, see us before closing.

WINNE & RULE, ROBERT MARSH & CO., 16175. 200 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 5045.

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Fine brick building, two stories high, fine residence of nine rooms, two acres of ground, both streets paved. Income $135 per month. Southeast corner Compton and Florence. Value $22,000. Want $7500 at 7 per cent.

J. BURRIS MITCHEL, Main 3288. 704 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY.

$6500, three years, 8 per cent. interest.

First mortgage on new, two-story, white-plastered flat building, twenty rooms, strictly new and modern. Lot, 50x125. Garages. Income $120 per month. Property located on corner Washington st. and Sixth ave.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY, 4th Floor, Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Broadway. 10345—Phones—Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—$5000, VERY CREAM HOLLYWOOD residence property, nine large rooms and entrance hall; three baths, garage, lot 100x170; high ground north of boulevard. NORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, Main 3849. 61334.

WANTED—MONEY—$12,000, 5 YEARS, 7 PER cent., 160-acre alfalfa, dairy and hog ranch. Abundance of water. Owner thoroughly reliable. Interest will be paid promptly. Valuation $32,000.

WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., See Henry W. Mellen, Mgr. Loan Dept., Main 8040. 403 S. Hill. 10745.

WANTED—MONEY—$5500, 2 YEARS, 7 PER cent. Modern residence; hardwood finish; furnace, garage; large lot. Location very good. Principals only.

WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., See Henry W. Mellen, Mgr. Loan Dept., Main 8040. 403 S. Hill. 10745.

WANTED — $3500, FIRST MORTGAGE, 8 PER cent.; 2-story, 9-room residence, 30th, just west of Vermont. Value $7000. Lot, 50x150. Insurance $3500. Has hardwood floors, cement porch and all built-in effects; exceptionally good moral backing. Call 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. A4280. Broadway 787.

WANTED — $2200, FIRST MORTGAGE, 7 PER cent., nearly new 7-room Swiss chalet, 1½-story residence; hardwood floors and everything the latest; lot, 50x150; insurance $2500. Highland Park section. Call BUCHANAN, 14289, Broadway 787. Room 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG.

WANTED — MONEY. I HOLD TWO NOTES, $3300 each, one for 16 months and one for 28 months, given by well-known Los Angeles firm. For quick action will make discount equal to interest at 12 per cent. Address C. K. R., Hotel Roslyn.

WANTED — MONEY, $2500, CONSERVATIVE money lender, I wish to secure a loan for 3 years at 7 per cent. on a Washington street lot, 50x150, on paved street, high ground; appraised at $5200. Phone OWNER, 75659.

WANTED—$3500, WILL PAY EIGHT PER CENT. interest first mortgage on eight-room two-story modern residence, close in, southwest. Value $7000. ENGEN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. F4626.

WANTED—$1000, $2000, $4000, $5000, $1500, $1800, $5000, $10,000, $13,000, on A1 security. FRANK L. FRARY, 621 Van Nuys Bldg. F2208. Main 3633.

WANTED—$7000, 6½ PER CENT.

ON 18 ACRES, FIRST-CLASS ORANGE GROVE, NO FROST, NO WIND. ADDRESS B, BOX 448, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED $7000, 6½ PER CENT.

WANTED—$4000, 7 PER CENT., NEAR WASHington and Arlington; 50x128, 11 rooms, modern in every detail; rent $35 per month; fine home; value $8000. ALLEN, with Goodman & Phillips, M. 3079, F2224. 515-16 Haas Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY; $3000; OWNER WISHES TO secure a loan of $3000 on a beautiful Wilshire district lot, 115x130, paved street, high ground; appraised value [illegible]; conservative money lender look into this at once. Phone OWNER, 75659.

WANTED—$6000 ON 4-FLAT BUILDING, W. 23rd st. Moral risk the best. Also $10,000 on close-in corner, 2 flat buildings. Both good loans. DAVIS-PARKS, 915 Story Bldg. 62639, Main 8680.

WANTED—MONEY—$1000 ON NEW BUNGALOW easily worth $2500. Act promptly if you want this. STANDARD, 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4845.

WANTED—TO BORROW $1800 AT 7 PER CENT., for 3 years, secured by mortgage on 6-room modern bungalow, close in, northwest, valued at $4000. Will pay no commission. A5795. 222 LAUGHLIN BLDG. Main 6792.

WANTED—$1000, EAGLE ROCK, VALUE $4000; six lots, just south of boulevard, street work paid; all east front; choice loan. NORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, Main 3849. 61334.

WANTED—$2500 ON IMPROVED LOT IN Glendale, 272x135, also $500 on two lots in city, worth $1800. O. M. NEWBY, 422 Grant Bldg. A3128; Main 14.

WANTED—PRIVATE PARTY WANTS $300, building loan, has clear lot in good location. Pay 8 per cent. for 3 years. Principals only. HOFFMAN, 427 Central Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY; $1850; I WISH TO SECURE a loan of $1850 on a corner lot in Wilshire district, lot 40x153, paved street; appraised value $4000. Phone OWNER, 75659.

WANTED — $1500, NORTH WESTLAKE DIStrict, near First and Rampart, two-story, 7-room house, with garage; value about $4000. NORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, Main 3849. 61334.

WANTED—$15,000 TO TAKE UP $17,000 LOAN on very fine 30-acre grove, Porterville, full bearing. Income $8000 per year. Owner's home. Bank valuation $45,000. Choice loan. F2544. 702 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

WANTED—$400 ON SMALL HOUSE; $1500 ON 7-room modern home; $900 on 5-room cottage. HANLEN, 325 Story Bldg. F2705, Main 5274.

WANTED—$6000 ON VACANT LOTS, WORTH $13,500. Address B, box 498, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$10,000 ON GOOD 20-ROOM BRICK building. Se MR. CALL, mornings, 650 Van Nuys Bldg. Bdwy. 702—F7712.

WANTED—$7000 AT 7 PER CENT., GOOD SEcurity. WALTER RANSOM, 618 Title Insurance Bldg.

WANTED—$2650, WILSHIRE CORNER, 108x138x70; $1000 street work in and paid by owner. Phone WILSHIRE 5862.

WANTED—PHOENIX, ARIZONA; HAVE $3500 bungalow, large lot here. FILLEY, 515 Union Oil Bldg.

WANTED—$1000 ON 160 FINE LEVEL ACRES, Victorville, at 8; $1600 on 160 acres, worth $5000, Lancaster, at 8. FILLEY, 515 Union Oil Bldg.

WANTED — $2000, 8 PER CENT., TWO OR years, on close-in southwest improved. WM. WOOD, 60996; Bdwy. 363.

WANTED—$1000; WILL PAY 10 PER CENT. interest and give trust deed. Apply 605 STORY BLDG. F4874—Bdwy. 4303.

WANTED—$2600, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., TWO story residence, owner's home, fine risk. No agents. 405 UNION OIL BLDG. Main 379.

WANTED—$400, 6 MONTHS, ON FURNITURE, 2 per cent. interest, straight; no bonus, no commission. Address H, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$1600, HOLLYWOOD, VALUE $5000, located near hotel, north of boulevard. NORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, Main 3849. 61334.

WANTED—$4500, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., 8-room house and garage; mahogany finish, St. Andrews Place, near W. Pico. PHONE F3869.

WANTED—$1500, 8 PER CENT., FIRST TRUST deed on 160 acres good farm land, Kings county. Phone 579623, owner.

WANTED—$4500 AT 7 PER CENT., WEST SIDE flats. Commission to agents. HOME 71252.

WANTED—$2000 ON MODERN 7-ROOM BUNGAlow. LINGLE, 927 Story Bldg. 64165.

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WANTED—WE BUY MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS AND CONTRACTS OF SALE. ON REAL ESTATE. Money always ready. No delays. FRIENDLY & FYBUSH, 925 Van Nuys Bldg. Phone F5887.

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FOR SALE—FIRST MORTGAGE FOR $2500, 3 years to run at 8 per cent. Nearly new double bungalow on Fourth ave., just off Jefferson. Income $35 per month. Call 14289, BROADWAY 787.

FOR SALE—MORTGAGE AND TRUST DEEDS, firsts and seconds, at big discounts. 224 SOUTH SPRING, room 303.

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Name ....

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Judgment.

THIRTY'S THE LIMIT.

Appeal Court Grants a New Trial Because Too Many Days Were Allowed to Elapse Between Man's Conviction and His Sentence.

Holding that the requirement of the Penal Code, that not more than thirty days may expire between the date of conviction and sentencing of a person convicted of a criminal offense, is mandatory in character, and designed to give speedy determination of criminal prosecutions, the District Court of Appeal has reversed the judgment of Superior Judge Gavin W. Craig, who refused a new trial to George W. Gilbreth, found guilty of embezzling the funds of a local building company.

Gilbreth was convicted September 14, 1916, and the date for hearing his application for probation and pronouncing of judgment was postponed until September 28. On that date, at the request of the defendant the date was changed to October 5. The defendant asked another postponement until October 10 and this was granted. On that date, without the request of Gilbreth, the date was again changed to October 17, or thirty-three days after the date of his conviction. The higher court holds that he should have another trial, after the failure of the Superior Court to pronounce judgment within the limit of thirty days.

Denies.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Deposed Supreme Secretary of Fraternal Brotherhood Asks for a Jury Trial on the Charge of Exhibiting Deadly Weapon.

Charles W. Dempster, ousted Supreme Secretary of the Fraternal Brotherhood, appeared before Police Judge Crawford, sitting for Judge White, yesterday afternoon, and pleaded not guilty to a charge of exhibiting a deadly weapon in a threatening manner. He requested a jury trial.

Judge Crawford ordered the defendant to appear before Judge Frederickson at 10 o'clock this morning, when the date of the trial will be set. In the meantime, Mr. Dempster was permitted to go on his own recognizance.

During the brief hearing granted Mr. Dempster yesterday, the police court was crowded by representatives of the warring factions in the Brotherhood. These representatives herded into opposite ends of the courtroom, and while dagger-like glances darted hither and thither, words were lacking.

Mr. Dempster addressed a lodge meeting in Fraternal Brotherhood Hall last night, setting forth his side of the altercation.

Too Wild.

NO BLACK BEAUTIES.

Woman Who Finds that Marriage Joys Include Being Thrown by Some Untamed Wyoming Horses Asks Judge Wood to Grant Divorce.

After their marriage in Denver, Blanche Fonner and Augustus L. Fonner went to Wyoming, where Mr. Fonner bought a number of wild horses. Mrs. Fonner, in the divorce court yesterday, declared that he compelled her to assist in breaking them. She had to drive a large wagon, the seat being so high, she stated, that her feet would not reach the brake. The wild horses threw her many times, she said, and while she was driving the big wagon the horses ran away.

When the Fonners returned to Denver with the horses she said she left her husband and went back to her people. She came to California more than a year ago and supported herself by working in a grocery store. She is a little, slender woman.

Judge Wood did not think there was sufficient corroborative evidence and continued the case.

FORMAL OPENING.

The formal opening of El Retiro Milk Diet and Rest Cure Sanitarium in its new quarters at San Fernando will occur next Saturday and Sunday. This institution was formerly located in Hollywood, but is now situated in the center of the famous Sylmar olive grove, the largest of its kind in the world. The sanitarium has been fully equipped with modern improvements.

Straws that Show.

MANY ENROLLED AGAINST BONDS.

Power Meetings Fill Ranks of the Opponents.

Advocates Keep Silent About Phantom Contract.

Women and Students Express Selves Vigorously.

Four hundred women, members of the Woman's Book Club of the University of Southern California, listened to a discussion of the proposed power bond issue yesterday afternoon at University chapel in the college of liberal arts. John W. Kemp spoke at length for the bonds. He urged his hearers to support them, but failed to mention the power contract, despite the fact that the women present were most anxious to hear about it.

Miss Ruth Beckwith, president of the Woman's Home Protective Association, spoke in opposition to the proposed issue. "Mr. Kemp, according to information which I have received from numerous sources, recently stated," she said, "that he would rather give up his entire law practice than to resign his position on the Water Board. Mr. Kemp's law practice, as you know, is considerable, and his position on the Water Board is supposedly an unremunerative office. Wherein do the interests of Mr. Kemp in the proposition lie? Of coure I mean to make this statement in a kindly spirit and I notice that Mr. Kemp is smiling and I expect a good reply when his turn comes.

"Remember that large war loans have been made by the moneyed interests and another is being or has been floated, and when bonding speculators can hunt big game like that, they are not going to bother with any little power bonds in Los Angeles. I have been watching the tax situation and to my knowlege it will not be such a simple matter as they would have us believe to float this proposed $12,000,000 bond issue."

Scores of women, at the close of the meeting, came forward and expressed a desire to join the Woman's Home Protective Association, of which Miss Beckwith is president. Many took membership cards and signed them and declared they will not only become members, but will actively work to defeat the bonds, as they believe the issue is ill-timed and would be a detriment to the interests of Los Angeles.

Another meeting was held yesterday afternoon at the Woman's Tuesday Afternoon Club, at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Parker, No. 726 South Bonnie Brae. Fifty women indorsed the Woman's Home Protective Association and numerous protests were made against the bonds. The meeting was most enthusiastic. Not one of the women in the audience could be found to express herself as favoring the proposed bond issue.

Fifty men, of the law department of the University of Southern California, all of them voters, after a spirited address by Miss Beckwith, expressed a desire to help fight the proposed bond issue.

On Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the gymnasium at Normal Hill Center, a mass-meeting will be held to discuss the issues in the proposed power bond question. Attorney Griffith Jones and Miss Beckwith will speak against the bonds and two speakers from the People's Power Bond Committee will favor them.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for A. Alport, Abel Bottero, Miss Lola Bernard, Francis Burdett, H. Bentman, Burton H. Burd, Lenora Brasch, Charles Connor, Rollin C. Hyde, W. E. Long, Miss Emma Lacson, J. F. Marx, Fred C. Matthews, D. F. McCarth, J. T. McGowan, G. F. Powell, Frank S. Rolfe, Chester Ristenpart, Fred Snooks, G. W. Spencer, Miss Gertie Schlach, K. A. Stone, Mrs. R. F. Simpson, W. A. Townsburry, E. M. Welsh, J. H. Wells; at the Postal for Mrs. Charles C. Archbell, L. Bland, Astoria Veneer Miles and Dock.

FRANCHISE FOR RAILWAY.

The Pacific Electric Railroad Company was given a franchise yesterday by the Council for a right of way on Eighth street, between Los Angeles street and Maple avenue. This will permit Glendale cars to turn back on depot grounds and relieve traffic congestion.

DRAGGED HIM INTO MARRIAGE.

Man Says He Broke Away Twice but Woman Got Him Third Time.

She dragged me down to the Courthouse three times before we were married, but I was able to break away twice," Lloyd A. King told Judge Wood yesterday in the divorce suit of Mrs. Ethel King. Mrs. King, his mother, declared that "Ethel had been living at our house two weeks when Lloyd told me she wanted him to marry her. I told him he had better do as she wished if she was to continue living at our place."

The wife denied that she had bought the wedding ring and paid for the marriage license. "I gave him money at various times," she testified, "and it wasn't my business if some of it was used in buying a marriage license."

The separation was caused, it seems, by Mrs. King accepting an invitation to lunch from a man upon whom she practiced manicuring. Mrs. King said she accepted because her mother-in-law had advised her to. She said she always tried to please her mother-in-law, and, anyhow, she only went to the corner with the man, left him and lunched at a restaurant by herself. The decree was denied.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Minnesotans to Meet.

A meeting of the Minnesota State Society will be held tomorrow evening in The Times Assembly Hall.

For Geologists.

A geological section of the Lorquin Natural History Club will be organized at a meeting of the interested, Tuesday evening, in the musicroom of the public library.

Will Read Play.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Alliance, Mrs. Kitty Richards Foote will read "Peg o' My Heart" at the First Unitarian Church, Friday evening.

Red Cross Meeting.

A meeting of the Los Angeles chapter, American Red Cross, has been called for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, seventh floor, Consolidated Realty Building.

Invite Band to Play.

The military band of the Los Angeles High School Cadet Battalion has been invited to play at the National Guard recruiting rally to be held at Exposition Park, the 23rd inst.

At Social Center.

Miss Lois Candee will give several whistling solos and the Juvenile Dramatic Club will present a Japanese play, "The Missing Heiress," at a meeting of the Loreto Social Center, tomorrow evening.

Boulevard Meeting.

A meeting of the Pico-boulevard Association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the hall at Sentous street and Pico boulevard. Representatives of the City Council and of the Board of Supervisors will speak.

On New Patriotism.

Reynold E. Blight will speak on "The New Patriotism" at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Cheremoya-avenue school, tomorrow evening, at the school building.

To Traffic Men.

Col. James L. Taylor of New York, formerly European passenger agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad, will speak on "Texts from Old Time Tables," at a meeting of the Transportation Association at noon tomorrow at Jahnke's Tavern.

To Legislators.

Members of the Legislature from Southern California will be guests of honor this evening at a dinner to be given in the Broadway Department Store Cafe by the Republican County Central Committee.

Meeting is Postponed.

The regular meeting of the Sales Managers' Association, which was to have occurred last night, has been postponed until next Wednesday on account of the national defense dinner which many of the members desired to attend.

On Cliff Dwellers.

"The Ancient Cliff Dwellers; the Beginning and Unfolding of the House-building Idea," will be the subject of Dr. George LaMont Cole's third lecture in a series on the haunts of prehistoric man at the Los Angeles Young Men's Christian Association tonight.

Patriotic Services.

As a memorial to the brave men who lost their lives in the sinking of the battleship Maine in Havana Harbor, February 15, 1898, special services will be held in Patriotic Hall, this evening, under the auspices of Roosevelt Camp, No. 29, U.S.W.V. Maj. C. S. Close of Springfield, Ill., will be the speaker of the evening.

Start Employment Bureau.

Under the direction of Webster Daly, a junior college student, an employment bureau has been started at the Los Angeles High School, so that poor students may work their way through school. The agency will endeavor to keep in touch with outside labor bureaus and employers of labor.

As Guests of Honor.

Members of Bartlett-Logan Post, No. 6, G.A.R., and Relief Corps, have been invited to be guests of honor at a patriotic talk on Washington, Lincoln and McKinley, Sunday morning, at the Church of the People in Blanchard Hall. Members of the same post and corps have also been invited to be guests at the First Methodist Church, Sunday evening.

For Salesmen.

A course in salesmanship for business men will be offered at the Young Men's Christian Association, beginning tonight, under the direction of E. Harvey Hadlock, teacher in business efficiency lines. Emphasis will be laid on the technique of the sale, development of the salesman's personality and application of salesmanship in practice.

J. P. Weyerhauser Here.

Tired after a long journey, J. P. Weyerhauser, multi-millionaire lumberman, arrived with his family yesterday afternoon and registered at the Angeles for a short sojourn in Los Angeles. Son of the late lumber magnate, the local visitor succeeded to the position of his illustrious forbear, whose name has gone down in the history of wonderful American achievements.

To Aid Unfortunates.

Under the direction of a committee composed of Mrs. Thomas P. White, chairman; Mrs. R. W. Richardson, Mrs. E. R. Brainard, Mrs. Arthur Merry, Mrs. Arnold Burkleman, Mrs. J. Tobinsky, and Mrs. Herbert A. Gable, assisted by a committee of the Bon Ami Social Club, a card party will be given at the Alexandria, Saturday afternoon, to create a fund for girls who are wards of the Woman's Police Court.

Will Present Play.

The Young People's Club of the Plymouth Congregational Church will present a play at the church building, Friday evening, the 23rd inst. The cast includes: Misses Winnifred, Amy and Ada Jacobs, Althea Dawson, Donald Loughridge, Ola Rensler, Grace, Martha and Stewart River, Mansfield Moyer, Gladys Vogt, Ella Hibner and Fred Embshoff, Donald and Lenore Rose George, Allan and Clark Andrews. Music will be furnished by the Plymouth Orchestra.

They will Protest.

Tonight a mass meeting will be held at the Walker Theater under the direction of Thomas Foss, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to protest against the lopping off of the county appropriation of $200 a month and to begin an investigation to ascertain why other expenditures have made this economy necessary. Representatives of more than a dozen humane organizations will be present, as well as local State Senators and Assemblymen. The latter have been invited to listen to a protest against a bill now before the Legislature, which makes it a misdemeanor for any pound officer to refuse to turn over to a medical college dogs unclaimed after a certain period.

Four-act Comedy.

The four-act comedy, "The Fortune Hunter," will be presented in the auditorium of the Lincoln High School on Friday evening by the winter class of 1917.

A Chicken Dinner.

The parish chapter of the Church of the Epiphany will give a chicken dinner this evening at the parish house, North Sichel and Altura streets, for the benefit of the church.

Lectures on Psychology.

Prof. and Mrs. Arnold Gesell of Yale University will give a lecture course on psychology at the Friday Morning Club House on Thursday mornings. At 10:30 o'clock today the first lecture will be on "The Problems and Methods of Modern Psychology," by Dr. Gesell.

Will Discuss Power Bonds.

A public discussion of the proposed power bonds will take place at the gymnasium of the Normal Hill Civic Center at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening. Walter R. Stevenson will support the bonds, and they will be opposed by Miss Ruth Beckwith and Griffith Jones. A social will occur after the debate. Admission is free and the public is invited.

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Police detectives yesterday were asked to assist in locating Emil Silberberg, 16 years of age, of No. 1502 Bonita place, Hollywood, who disappeared Tuesday afternoon.

Young Silberberg attended the Orpheum matinee Tuesday in the company of his nurse, Ross J. Reherd, and after the performance, while the latter was securing their overcoats, young Emil disappeared. It is thought by Mr. Reherd that an attractive young woman, who seemed to be watching him and his charge, lured the boy away.

The boy is the son of a wealthy jeweler of El Paso and is here for his health. He is very nervous and is slightly deranged, owing to recent troubles. His description is as follows: Five feet, 6 inches tall; weight 138 pounds; wore dark suit and black button shoes. Information concerning the boy may be communicated to the detective bureau at police headquarters.

FULL CAPACITY.

Santa Fe de Luxe Train to Bring Many Eastern Folk.

The Santa Fe de Luxe, loaded to its full capacity with prominent people from the East, leaving Chicago Tuesday, will arrive in Los Angeles tomorrow morning:

The passenger list includes Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Downs, B. J. D. Childs, L. O. Bell, Miss M. McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stewart, Thomas Jones, R. M. Byloskey, Misses F. R. and F. H. Adams, C. B. Butler and family, Mrs. H. S. Haleway and family, Mr. Moer and family, P. A. Powers, S. N. Sternbach and party, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bernhard, S. W. Straus, Mrs. F. W. Straus, Miss H. K. Straus, Miss Edith Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Tackman, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Stettenheim, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Ewart, Mr. H. M. Byloskey, Mrs. W. H. Randall, Miss W. H. Randall, A. M. Bell and L. V. Bell, E. J. Chapin, Miss Emily C. Chapin, J. M. Stettenheim, Mrs. F. C. Smith, Miss Ellen Carpenter, Mrs. C. R. Owens, E. H. Bogart, F. M. McGrath, Mrs. A. L. Gardner, H. W. Lakey, J. D. Lakins, P. M. Gelatt.

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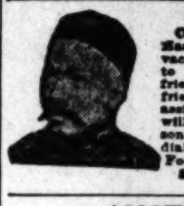

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.19; at 5 p.m., 30.15. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 47 deg. and 57 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 88 per cent.; 5 p.m., 71 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 12 miles. Highest temperature, 61 deg.; lowest, 40 deg. Rainfall for season, 9.95 inches; last season, 17.27 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Decreased pressure and increased temperatures were the rule over the greater portion of the United States during the last twenty-four hours. The southwestern area of low pressure caused general precipitation in Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma and Texas. The greatest amount, .94 of an inch, occurred at Abilene. Except for isolated patches of cloud or fog, the sky in Southern California was clear Wednesday morning.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light westerly winds.

For Southern California: Fair Thursday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light northerly wind.

Sacramento Valley: Fair Thursday; continued warm; light to moderate northerly wind.

Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Thursday; light northerly wind.

Southern California: Fair Thursday; light westerly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Forecast for Arizona: Thursday and Friday; fair; not much change in temperature.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 16.7 feet; discharge, 7300 second-feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ANDERSON—ANDERSON. Harris W. Anderson, 22; Evelyn M. Anderson, 19.
BRACKETT—MARSH. Roy D. Brackett, 28; Lillian B. Marsh, 28.
BUTLER—BULLA. Ormonde S. Butler, 24; Vivian O. Bulla, 23.
CLEMENTS—McAVOY. Stiles O. Clements, 33; Ida V. McAvoy, 29.
CORRALES—ACOSTA. Melquiades Corrales, 45; Petronila Acosta, 35.
DAVIDSON—NEWBERT. Francis G. Davidson, 23; Mary M. Newbert, 21.
DICKEY—FRANCISCO. Claude C. Dickey, 20; Marguerite E. Francisco, 18.
HAWLEY—IMBLER. Charles A. Hawley, 37; Frances E. Imbler, 28.
HULSHIZER—YOUNG. Andrew Hulshizer, 36; Sara J. Young, 29.
KILER—RICHARDSON. Harvey L. Kiler, 20; Marian G. Richardson, 19.
LEISINGER—BOWERS. Walter G. Leisinger, 24; Minnie I. Bowers, 20.
LONG—FERRALL. Jesse H. Long, 21; Evelyn Ferrall, 18.
MARTINEZ—RUIZ. Steve Martinez, 19; Carolina Ruiz, 17.
MEYERS—KARP. Charles Meyers, 30; Ida Karp, 21.
MONROE—MARKEY. William K. Monroe, 21; Mera E. Markey, 18.
MOSBACHER—WHITAKER. Frank Mosbacher, 22; Pearl F. Whitaker, 20.
NAWROCKI—DEPKOWSKA. Stefan Nawrocki, 33; Anna Depkowska, 33.
QUIJADA—HANKINS. Joseph Quijada, 30; Gertrude Hankins, 34.
OWNBEY—HENDERSON. Doctor F. Ownbey, 48; Hattie A. Henderson, 47.
PETRULIS—DOVIDOMS. Peter Petrulis, 23; Teresa Dovidoms, 19.
POLLITT—JONES. Albert Pollitt, 24; Rose M. Allen Jones, 21.
TERRY—JONES. Zebulon A. Terry, 25; Margaret L. Jones, 24.
TRENT—ROWETT. Goodwin N. Trent, 30; Dorothy P. Rowett, 26.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

AUSTIN. Mr. and Mrs. William J. Daughter. 1701 Bonnie Brae street. February 5.
BOLZER. Mr. and Mrs. Jack. Boy. County Hospital. February 12.
CABALLERO. Mr. and Mrs. Juan F. Daughter. 4180 Western avenue. February 6.
CANTU. Mr. and Mrs. Esteban. Daughter. 545 South Hobart boulevard. February 12.
DONALD. Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Boy. California Hospital. February 12.
EMERY. Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Daughter. Methodist Hospital. February 10.
FARRELL. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 11.
FIGH. Mr. and Mrs. Lee F. Daughter. 5714 Marmion way. February 10.
HALSELL. Mr. and Mrs. Claud E. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 11.
HOLMES. Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Daughter. 2219 Baxter street. January 27.
KEMP. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 11.
LEWIS. Mr. and Mrs. Smith R. Boy. 133½ West Forty-seventh street. February 8.
PHILLIPS. Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Daughter. 1933 Arlington avenue. February 7.
RICE. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Daughter. 306 East Forty-seventh street. January 23.
RICHTER. Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Daughter. California Hospital. February 12.
ROTHE. Mr. and Mrs. Michael. Boy. 1706 East Twenty-second street. February 12.
SAVALA. Mr. and Mrs. Victor. Daughter. 507 Bernardo street. February 11.
SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar. Daughter. 2007 North Sichel street. February 12.
SPARKS. Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 10.
WALKER. Mr. and Mrs. Irving M. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 9.
WORTHINGTON. Mr. and Mrs. Harley H. Daughter. 3507 Maple avenue. February 11.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

CROCKER. Hedvig against Henry A.
GOODRICH. Herbert E. against Blanche M.
HOWARD. Edward against Edna.
LAKE. Mary M. against J. C.
RUSSELL. Lillian against Edward.
SAMPLE. Vena Smith against Alva Roland.
SEEMAN. Wilhelmina A. against William Francis.
WARD. Thomas E. against Florence.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BALDRIDGE. Myrtle from John C.
DARWIN. Bethel Irdin from Walter Lee.
GRENAWALT. Ruth E. from James Hayes.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
ARMANTAGE, Ellen. Los Angeles	67	Feb. 12
CASHDAN, Lillian. Los Angeles	21	Feb. 13
ERB, Catherine. Los Angeles	89	Feb. 12
GRAD, Elsie. Los Angeles	44	Feb. 13
HILL, Annie Dain. Los Angeles	72	Feb. 12
HOLLISTER, Elizabeth H. Los Angeles	88	Feb. 12
JOHNSON, Floy Ewing. Los Angeles	43	Feb. 13
PARSONS, Hester H. Los Angeles	69	Feb. 13
ROTHER, Charles. Los Angeles	58	Feb. 13
SCHERER, Mary E. Los Angeles	58	Feb. 11
SHEPHERD, Charles F. Los Angeles	2	Feb. 13
SHERMAN, James N. Los Angeles	60	Feb. 10
STIMSON, Charles M. Los Angeles	75	Feb. 13
SULLIVAN, W. B. Washington. Los Angeles	65	Feb. 5

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ANTOGUIELLI. At his late residence, No. 1042 Macy street, Dario Antoguielli, beloved husband of Eleanor Antoguielli, aged 55 years.
Funeral Saturday at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Godeau & Martinoni, No. 827 South Figueroa street, under the auspices of the Vallee de France Lodge, No. 329, F. & A. M.

ARMANTAGE. At No. 3218 South Hoover street, February 12, Ellen, beloved wife of William L. Armantage, aged 67 years.
Funeral services will be held at the University M. E. Church Thursday at 10 a.m. Interment, San Bernardino. Bresee Brothers, directors.

BRADLEY. At the Pacific Hospital, this city, February 14, 1917, Stoakes Bradley, aged 72 years, beloved husband of Margaret Bradley, father of Roy and Frank E. Bradley and Mrs. Emma Maxwell.
Remains at resident establishment of Booth & Boylson Co., No. 1147 South Flower street. Notice of funeral hereafter.

DAVIS. In this city, Mary L., beloved wife of John F. Davis and mother of Alleara and Solomon Davis, a native of West Virginia, aged 40 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Robert Sharp & Son Co., No. 1218 South Flower, today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

KENNEDY. In this city, February 14, James W. Kennedy.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co. Friday at 2 p.m.

LOGAN. At No. 1339 Martel avenue, February 14, George Harry Logan, aged 76 years.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 1339 Martel avenue, Friday, February 16, 2 p.m. Pierce Bros. & Co., directors.

MIJARES. In this city, Teresa Acosta, beloved wife of Bruno G. de Mijares, a native of Lower California, aged 37 years.
Funeral from the residence, No. 331 South Harvard boulevard, Friday, February 16, at 8:45 a.m. Solemn requiem mass at St. Brendan's Church at 9 o'clock. Robert Sharp & Son Co., directors. Interment, Calvary Cemetery vault.

MITCHELL. At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Virginia M. Swett, No. 515 North New Hampshire street, Dr. Samuel H. Mitchell, aged 78 years, beloved father of Lawrence G. Mitchell of Minneapolis, Minn., and brother of Mrs. Louise Parr of Los Angeles.
Funeral from chapel of E. E. Overholtzer-Sons Co. Friday at 10 a.m., auspices I.O.O.F. Relief Corps. Friends invited. (Minneapolis, Minn., papers please copy.)

NASH. February 14, Joseph H. Nash.
Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa. Interment, Portland, Or.

PARSONS. At No. 8940 Menlo avenue, Hester Harmon Parsons, aged 69 years, beloved wife of E. Ward Parsons and loving mother of Cary W., Jack and Harmon Parsons.
Funeral services from chapel of E. E. Overholtzer-Sons Co. Friday at 2 p.m. Friends invited. (New Albany, Ind., and Louisville, Ky., papers please copy.)

ROETHER. February 13, Charles Roether, aged 58 years.
Services today, 2 p.m., at the Central Avenue Undertaking Co.'s parlors, No. 5600 Central avenue. McCormack & Coleman, funeral directors.

ROSE. At No. 509½ South Olive, February 14, Alexander Rose, aged 79 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower, Friday, February 16, at 3:30 p.m.

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[X]XXVIth YEAR | THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1917.—EDITORIAL SECTION. | POPULATION

[P]LANS ARE DRAFTED FOR ADEQUATE DEFENSE OF THE PACIFIC SEABOARD.

The scene and some of the principal speakers at the defense dinner at the Alexandria last evening.

Preparedness.

[R]OUSED CITIZENRY MOVES TO GUARD SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

[Five] Hundred Business Men Indorse Plans for National Service Corps, Coast Defense Board and Congress—Mass Meeting to be Called.

[UNANIM]OUSLY acclaimed as the [best] plan yet evolved to se[cure] adequate wartime protec[tion for] the United States, what [promises to] become an epoch-mark[ing move]ment for the land defense [of the nation] and more particularly [of Southern] California was formally [launched at] the national defense ban[quet at the] Alexandria last night.

From this move is expected to result a well-trained and equipped reserve army that in Southern California alone will number approximately 200,000 men and along the Pacific Coast would total in excess of 700,000. At the same time these men will, if the move is successfully executed, be used to solve the problem of flood control and conservation.

The following resolution was presented by George H. Maxwell, one of the organizers of the movement and a national director of the Reclamation Service. It was seconded by E. G. Judah, president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and was unanimously carried:

Resolved, that in view of the necessity for definite action to provide an adequate land force for the defense of the United States against invasion, that the chairman be authorized to appoint a committee of seven or more members to arrange details for a mass meeting to be held as soon as possible at Shrine Auditorium or some other suitable place, and to present at that time a plan to call a Pacific Coast defense congress and form a general board for Pacific Coast defense.

FOR A GENERAL BOARD.

Approximately 500 of the representative business men of Los Angeles and other Southern California cities, at the meeting last night, signified their intention of getting behind the move to call a Pacific Coast congress and form a general board for Pacific Coast defense. The mass meeting is merely to be the first step.

It is hoped to hold the mass meeting within the next thirty days. Several hundred dollars was subscribed toward the move last night by public-spirited citizens and this fund is to be available for immediate needs and to hasten the proposed Congress.

It is proposed to rapidly organize a machine backed by the solidified sentiment of the West, and to bring every pressure to bear upon Congress to at least permit the Pacific Coast to defend itself, if the nation at large feels that it cannot provide the necessary defense to insure the West against foreign aggression.

This protection is to be afforded by a reserve force of young men voluntarily attending government vocational training schools after receiving some military instruction in military training camps; by a construction reserve similarly trained in military science and then put to work on various flood control, reclamation and general construction and conservation projects that would prevent devastation of the natural resources of the West, and by a rural reserve of several thousand men trained first in military science and then permitted to attend agricultural schools until proficient enough to successfully farm or manage a small truck garden or fruit ranch.

TOAST PRESIDENT.

At the opening of the programme President Cole presented a silent toast to the President of the United States.

The toast was drunk, standing, in water, while the diners united in singing "America."

Prefacing his introduction of Edward F. Trefz, associate secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, as toastmaster of the evening, Mr. Cole outlined in a few words the origin and meaning of the defense association. He told how the organization, now numbering about 140 members,

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WHAT WAS DONE LAST NIGHT.

This is what 500 representative Los Angeles business men did last night at the national defense meeting at the Alexandria:

Discussed means of providing an adequate force for the land defense of the Pacific Coast.

Decided to hold a gigantic preparedness mass meeting at Shrine Auditorium within the next few weeks, at which time a plan to call a Pacific Coast defense congress will be presented.

Indorsed a project to form a general board for Pacific Coast defense and appointed a committee to draft details of the plan.

Committed themselves to a national move on behalf of adequate territorial defense and to secure appropriations and legislation authorizing the formation of a great national service reserve.

Tocsin.

THRILLING APPEAL TO GET READY TO FIGHT.

THE focus of last night's gigantic defense meeting was the brilliant, virile speech of George H. Maxwell, introduced by Chairman Trefz as the originator and eulogized by President-elect Cole of the Chamber of Commerce as the moving spirit of the undertaking. So emphatic was he that at two different times his gestures knocked water glasses about the speaker's table as if they were rubber balls. Mr. Maxwell explained, elaborated and drove home the objective of the association, namely, to bring Southern California to a realization that it is absolutely imperative to their lives and well-being that constructive and educational reserves be created at once so that the Pacific Coast may have an adequate defense that is ready to fall in line and go into the trenches the morning that war is declared.

"This country faces the greatest crisis in the history of its existence," Mr. Maxwell said. "This crisis has made it possible for you to decide now whether the great advance your country has made in the past century with a government for the people, by the people and of the people, shall be maintained or shall be permitted to drop back and follow in the wake of other nations that once built up a great commercial and military prestige only to fall as Rome fell.

MUST DEFEND OURSELVES.

"I don't have to tell you that our government should make preparations for defense. But this is the point. You may go over the entire list of everything that has been proposed for preparedness, and when you have finished you must inevitably reach the conclusion that nothing has as yet been proposed to provide any defense at all for the Pacific Coast. **The General Staff at Washington has admitted that in event of war the Pacific Coast would have to be abandoned. This is true. At present, Washington, Oregon and California are remote and isolated provinces without defense and without plans for defense. An army of 250,000 men could be landed at any place on your coast in spite of anything you could do to prevent them with fast cruisers and submersibles.**

"Of course, we need fast cruisers and submersibles. They are the cavalry of the sea. But who would create an army of defense out of cavalry only? When you have these boats, have you a defense for the Pacific Coast? No.

"If the business men of Los Angeles have it in their power to change that condition of defenselessness and make the Pacific Coast to be recognized as the Gibraltar of America, is it worth while? Of course it is.

LAND FORCE IMPERATIVE.

"You must face the situation. You must have an adequate land force for instantaneous defense, ready to fall into line and go into the trenches the morning war is declared. And you must inaugurate a system that will last this generation, the next generation and forever. The present population of the Pacific Coast, even if military service is made compulsory, is not sufficient from which to create such an army. You must hold out a plan to the men you put in uniform to protect you so that during his voluntary service he can get health, physical training and training in intensive cultivation of the soil. You must have schools for soldiers, limiting the ages from 17 to 19 years, so that after his period of service he can enter some other field if he so desires.

"Efficiency could be reached by placing these training camps of soldiers in your mountains, fighting against nature's devastation, but always ready to go into battle for their country. You spend millions in flood-control bonds for your valleys, but until you take care of your mountains and ridges no engineer or no amount of money can keep the gravel and debris from washing down into the valley.

"The Pacific Coast is divided into three parts on the military map. The Siskiyou and Tehachepi mountains form natural impregnable boundaries. So you must have three organizations if you wish to be safe.

"We pay the penalty of being a democracy. Everything must start from the people. You have enough men here tonight to start a movement that will be heard the length and breadth of the country. Not for some intangible hysteria, but for a purpose, the purpose of making this Coast impregnable."

An Army Ready-made.

HUGE MILITARY RESERVE OF FEDERAL FIELD EMPLOYEES.

OF THE THREE organizations to constitute the national service reserve, according to the plans outlined at the national defense dinner last night, the most important is the one engaged in actual construction work on government projects. Such organization has been tentatively suggested several times by students of economics. The concerted action of the various units of the American Society for National Service is expected to plant the issue squarely before Congress.

It is proposed that Congress shall authorize and provide an appropriation for the national service construction corps. The proposed corps would consist of an enlisted body of men, organized primarily as a constructive force for government projects, to work under direction of various Federal departments, such as the departments of the Interior, Agriculture, etc., and in the Reclamation and Forest Service.

Secondarily, the corps would serve as an organized and equipped military reserve, available for military service only within the United States and in event of invasion by a foreign enemy.

The proposed plan for the organization of such corps does not contemplate a force of more than 200,000 men at first. These men would be recruited and examined much in the same way that the army and navy personnel is obtained at present. This work could be done at the present military and navy recruiting stations.

The recruits, between 17 and 45 years of age, would be subjected to a mild physical examination, and then enlisted under the War Department for two years, with a minimum pay, according to tentative plans, of about $40 per month. For the first three months, or longer if necessary, they would receive the training of soldiers.

When firmly grounded in military duties and accustomed to military discipline, the men would be assigned to a construction corps, and, with their arms and equipment, transferred outright to the Reclamation Service or other bureau in charge of the construction work to which they would be assigned.

EDUCATIONAL RESERVE.

The proposed educational reserve would be conducted something along the same order as far as recruiting is concerned. Young men between 17 and 19 years of age only, would be accepted for the service. They would be enlisted under the War Department for at least two years, given two or three months actual military service and then be permitted to take up vocational training.

One month or more each year they would be in maneuver camps. They would be permitted to go to their homes on leave for a limited period each six months. Upon completion of the course in the government school they would return to civil life capable of earning good wages and able to take the field as officers in event of war. During their schooling they would be drilled for a short period daily. In event of necessity they would be called for active service to repel invasion at any time during their actual attendance at the school and for two years thereafter.

RURAL RESERVE.

The rural reserve system proposed is patterned exactly after the system in Australia and New Zealand. Applicants for enlistment would be between 17 and 45 years of age. They would be enlisted under the War Department, drilled in military duties until proficient and then if capable gardeners or able to make a living from a five or ten-acre tract, would be granted a small plat of government land and transferred to the rural reserve.

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WHISTLE AS THEY CARRY THEIR LOOT FROM BANK.

Two Impudent but Gentlemanly Bandits Rob Westlake Branch of Home Savings Institution and Get Away in Automobile with Nervous Driver Who Nearly Leaves One Behind in His Hurry to Decamp.

DISPLAYING impudence and nerve, two well-dressed robbers held up Manager F. H. Souders and Book-keeper W. C. Rowland of the Westlake Park branch of the Home Savings Bank, No. 632 South Alvarado street, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon and got away with $2500, of which $1000 was in gold $1000 in currency and $500 in silver.

Pointing revolvers at the bank employees, the robbers forced them to enter the vault, but generously acceded to the request not to shut the door. They stuffed the money into the book-keeper's valise, after emptying out the remains of his lunch and other articles, and, whistling cheerfully, coolly walked out past Mrs. Elizabeth Walker of No. 925 South Alvarado street, who was waiting to cash a check. She thought they were members of the bank's staff.

AUTO IN WAITING.

At a moderate pace they proceeded north on Alvarado street about half a block to Orange street, where, with engine going, an old runabout, colored dull black with red wheels, was waiting. The driver of the machine was so nervous—he had been waiting about half an hour in a sweat—that he hardly gave the man who carried the loot time in which to place it in a home-made auto truck attached to the back of the car. In fact, E. A. Crocker, a patient in the Westlake Hospital, corner Alvarado and Orange streets, says the driver started east on Orange street while the robber who held the money was still standing on the street thrusting the valise into the trunk. The man had to cling to the side of the machine and climb over into the seat while the car was going.

Within a few minutes of the robbery Capt. George Home of the detective bureau had Detectives Winn, Boyd and Murphy at work on the case. Manager Souders of the bank told of the daring robbery as follows:

POINT GUNS AT BANK MEN.

"We were not very busy and there were no customers in the bank. I was at the desk near the teller's window when I heard somebody come in. Turning around I faced a man who was pointing a blue revolver at me. A few feet away was Book-keeper Rowland and a man was also pointing a gun at him.

"The man who held the gun toward my head was about 30 years old, I should judge. He was rather slender; his height was about 5 feet 10 inches; he was of dark complexion, wore a dark suit, was smooth-shaven and wore a soft hat. The man who threatened the book-keeper was a heavy-set man of about 200 pounds, and, like his comrade, wore a dark suit, a soft hat and carried a blue revolver with a big hole in the end of it.

"The man who pointed the gun at me seem like an American. He told me to throw up my hands. I didn't do so and he told me he meant business. Mentime the other man had commanded Mr. Rowland to hold up his hands, but Mr. Rowland, thinking he was a customer who was poking fun at him, laughed at the man. He, too, said he meant business and he made Mr. Rowland open the door leading to the inside of the office.

"Then the men ordered us to go into the vault. We asked them not to close the door. They agreed. They were gentlemanly about it. We were in the vault not more than about two minutes. When we came out they had gone with the money, which they had put into Mr. Rowland's yellow valise, after dumping on the floor personal belongings of Mr. Rowland which were in the bag. As they were coming out of the office they passed Mrs. Walker, who had just come in."

Book-keeper Rowland said he went to the door of the bank and saw the men walk up Alvarado street and turn onto Orange. He then stepped back into the bank, and the robbery was reported to President O. J. Wigdal, who sent out more money and a man to check the cash. He stated that the bank is amply covered by insurance.

Meanwhile the presence of an old runabout with a smoking radiator and the engine going had attracted the attention of E. A. Crocker, a patient in the Westlake Hospital, at the corner of Alvarado and Orange streets, and of his wife and son. They wondered why the engine was kept running.

OFF IN GREAT HURRY.

They first saw the machine standing some yards from the corner. After a time the driver backed down to the corner, and in doing so killed the engine. They saw him get out in a great hurry to start it again, and noticed he was a man of about 160 pounds' weight, fairly tall, smooth-shaven and dressed in a dark suit.

After a while they saw two men come to the corner. One climbed in beside the driver and the other started to put a yellow grip into the trunk at the back. "The driver wouldn't wait while the man was trying to get the valise in," said Mr. Crocker, "and went off like a flash with the man clinging to the side of the machine. My wife said the auto looked like an old Hupmobile."

Mr. Crocker recalled that while the driver was waiting he noticed the radiator smoking and saw the driver go to a rooming-house to get some water. The can in which he obtained the water was afterward thrown into the street by one of the robbers, and E. M. Sanders of the intelligence bureau obtained some excellent fingerprints on it last evening.

BANK'S SECOND ROBBERY.

This is the second time bandits have robbed branches of the Home Savings Bank. Some time ago the Boyle Heights branch was the scene of a crime similar to that of yesterday, and the culprits were caught after escaping to San Francisco. President Wigdal said yesterday that they don't leave much money around in the branches. Only enough is carried there to take care of each day's business. Consequently the robbers didn't make a very rich haul. There is a standing reward of $5000 offered by the California Bankers' Association for the capture of such robbers. The Pinkerton National Detective Agency is working on the case, as well as the local officers.

Manager F. H. Souders and Home Saving s Bank branch,

Which was entered by bandits during the rush hour yesterday and $2500 in cash taken. The robbers then walked nonchalantly to a waiting automobile and made their escape.

HARD CASH AND HEART THROBS.

Lost Love Petitions Add Zest to St. Valentine's Day Court Calendar.

Lost love suits calling for approximately $225,000 in damages, were considered by Judge Jackson in the preliminary stages yesterday.

The court overruled the demurrer of Alvin H. Harrold, a wealthy contractor, who is defending the suit of Arthur H. Pratt for $50,000 damages for the alleged theft of the affections of Nellie G. Pratt. Mr. Harrold will now file an answer to the action.

Mrs. Louise Hayward, who is suing her father-in-law, Dr. Henderson Hayward, now on his honeymoon, for $100,000 damages, for alienating the affections of her husband, Lester Hayward, successfully contested a demurrer to the complaint.

Beatrice Calvin, who is suing her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ida May Calvin, and Roy C. Seeley for $75,000 damages on a charge of inducing her husband to leave her, was not so successful, for the court sustained demurrers, and an amended complaint will be filed.

OPPOSE WAGE CUT.

The Board of Supervisors' meeting developed yesterday that three members oppose cutting the salaries of employees to help them make up the dig deficit in the finances. So it will have to look elsewhere for funds. Supervisor Norton declared that he was not in favor of making the cut on those not responsible for the shortage in funds. He said he believed in placing the blame where it belongs. Supervisors Woodley and McClellan also objected to the cut and the 25 per cent. reduction proposed in the resolution of Chairman Hamilton was not pressed.

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Moves to Guard.

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was composed of men determined to carry their object to a successful ending, and declared that if the men of Los Angeles would get behind the movement nothing could stop them.

"The question is preparedness," Mr. Trefz said, in part. "And preparedness is largely a question of geographical location. I recently heard a Montana man say that any damned country that could fight their way into Montana was fit to rule the United States.

"No nation will attempt to attack another nation if the outcome is at all improbable. Preparedness is really patriotism in its highest sense. And I believe that the so-called pacificist and the hyper-preparedness crank can be brought together in Los Angeles in an organization that will retain the best of both."

FOR LAND DEFENSE.

Capt. H. F. Hatch, Civil and Spanish War veteran, father of Maj. Hatch, U.S.A., and grandfather of a young West Point undergraduate, spoke warmly for land defense.

"God meant this part of the country to be defended by an army and not a navy," he said. "Los Angeles's defenses are her rugged mountains and ridges. The fortifications nature made you are better than man ever did or ever will make. They have been placed there for your special use.

"Your first step is to create an army that will make it impossible for an invading army to land at any point. After that you can create your navy. Never at any time will you have a navy adequate to keep an enemy from landing. The navy is the offensive branch of the service.

"Soldiers are made in the open. You cannot make them in the armory or drill hall. The best of soldiers are made in the forest reserves. I believe that the plan for defense as outlined by the association is the best ever advanced in the history of the world."

An ardent plea for a greater degree of public-spiritedness on the part of the business men was made by E. G. Judah. "The business men of this city," he said, "owe a lot more time to civic and national affairs than most of them give. A lot of people believe that if they pay their taxes, vote and keep out of jail, they have done their full duty as citizens. This is a democratic form of government we have and the suggestions and work that mean salvation of the nation must come from the people."

AT TRI-STATE CONCLAVE.

Mr. Judah, and President Mitchell of the Chamber of Commerce, the next speaker, paid high tribute to Mr. Maxwell. Mr. Mitchell referred to the fact that the East is too wrapped up in its own problems to fight the battles of the West and that if the Pacific Coast wants protection it must protect itself. His suggestion to present the National Service Reserve plan at the approaching tri-State conclave, to be held at San Francisco with representatives of Washington, Oregon and California in attendance was roundly cheered. There is no doubt, he said, but that the whole West will heartily indorse the move and lend every effort toward its success.

Following a brief address by L. D. Sale, president-elect of the Chamber of Commerce, President Scherer of Throop College heartily indorsed the plan. "It is the best and most practicable programme ever outlined for an adequate national defense system," he said. "Mr. Maxwell, I believe, is a prophet and without doubt the time will come when his idea will prevail.

"This plan effectually wins the pacifists as it centers the national ideal on construction, not destruction. Properly directed this will come soon. I hope at the mass meeting we will convince the world that we are misrepresented at Washington by repudiating the devil and his Works."

The latter reference to the recent stand of the Senator from this district was roundly applauded and provoked gales of laughter. Before the meeting adjourned more than 200 men had promised to use their best efforts in making the coming mass meeting the greatest ever held in Los Angeles.

SIGN UP FOR COURSE.

University Students Urged to Take Military Instruction.

"Military Preparedness" was the subject of an address by State Senator James McLaughlin before the students of the University of Southern California yesterday. Senator McLaughlin urged as many men as could possibly do so to sign up for the course in military instruction now being offered at the university through the co-operation of the Federal government. "The instruction offered by the government should prove of the highest value to any citizen," said Senator McLaughlin, "and it is to be hoped that a large number of students will sign up for this work."

Accident.

WOMAN KILLED IN CAR CRASH.

Electric Coach and Motor in Fatal Collision.

Mother Dead, Two Daughters Painfully Hurt.

Police and Witnesses Say it was Unavoidable.

One person is dead and two are severely injured as the result of a collision between a street car and an automobile yesterday afternoon at the intersection of Western avenue and Forty-eighth street. Mrs. Mary M. Thompson, wife of Dr. Wesley Thompson, Health Commissioner of Huntington Park, died from her injuries at the Angelus Hospital an hour after the accident. The injured women, both daughters of Mrs. Thompson, are Mrs. Thomas Held of No. 1220 June street and Mrs. Fred Spencer of No. 3019½ Raymond avenue. Mrs. Spencer suffered a broken rib and bruises. Mrs. Held is suffering from minor abrasions and shock.

The accident, it is declared, was unavoidable. The street car was traveling west on Forty-eighth street, under the direction of Motorman Bucknor, who did not see the automobile until it was too late. The automobile was being driven north on Western avenue by Mrs. Spencer. It was struck by the car and almost completely demolished.

Mrs. Thompson was at once rushed to the Angelus Hospital by Dr. Frank Thomas. She had a fractured hip and fatal internal injuries. Mrs. Held and Mrs. Spencer were removed to the latter's home, where they were treated by Dr. Thomas C. Myers. Mrs. Spencer is the wife of Frederick McD. Spencer, prominent attorney of this city. Mr. Spencer is a member of the law firm of Thomson & Spencer, with offices in the American Bank Building.

Mrs. Held, who is 28 years of age, is the wife of Thomas Held, chief of the automobile department of the Lasky Photoplay Company. With her at the time of the accident was her 4-year-old daughter, Edith, who was uninjured except for a slight bruise on her upper lip. Mrs. Held is suffering from several abrasions and a sprained right shoulder.

The accident was witnessed by fifty persons. The intersection of Forty-eighth street and Western avenue has long been known as dangerous, and many minor accidents have occurred there. Among the major injuries received by pedestrians and others in the past at that corner are listed fractured arms and legs, injured spines and fractured skulls.

Dr. Wesley Thompson was formerly Coroner of San Bernardino county. His wife was 64 years of age. The automobile party was returning to the city in Dr. Thompson's car.

Again.

YEARS NO BAR.

Couple Believed to be the Oldest to Take Troubles to the Local Courts Promise to Make Another Appearance, Being Unable to Agree.

The Jenkins, probably the oldest couple which has sought the local courts, promise to make another appearance, this time in a suit for separate maintenance filed yesterday by Mrs. Phoebe S. Jenkins. She is 78 years old and Charles M. Jenkins is 77. They were married in this city July 13, 1869, and have no children. A girl, Lillian Eckland, was adopted by Mr. Jenkins, the wife says, and she is now with her foster mother, who says she is caring for her, although Mr. Jenkins is worth $30,000 and receives a pension and an income. Mrs. Jenkins asks alimony of $100 a month. Lillian is said to be an invalid.

LAY IT ON POLITICS.

Charging that the reason for the proposed change of the name of Valley street in the Palms district to Hughes avenue is political, the residents of that section protested to the Council yesterday. Further consideration of the matter will be taken on the 21st inst. The protestants say the change would do honor to Tom Hughes, member of the Harbor Commission.

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... dinner tables, each presided ... as assisting hostess, save ... group, which had Miss ... Kerckhoff at one end and ... Miss Marion, opposite, ... miniature meadows, where ... tugs-of-war over the ... of all the fair buds, suggested ... and tinseled hearts that ... about the flowery ... Cupids had their silver ... across their backs, ... in sight, and others ... at some radiantly-... There were bleeding ... had been pierced, and ... stood a fusillade of ...

... debutante table, which ... a huge oval surrounded by ... groups, floated a pink ... airplane guided by Cupid, ... consisting of exquisite ... appropriate to each guest ... as the pleasantest sort ... by means of narrow pink ... tinsel streamers or rib...

... the honorees were ... Harrell, Miss Eleanor ... George Reed, Miss ... Garretson Dulin, Miss ... Hilliard MacGow... Louise Hunt, Gabriel ... Rosemary Sartori, ... Paul Herron, Miss ... Preston Hotchkiss, ... Dockweiler, P. J. ... Dorothy Lindley, Wil... Miss Helen Jones, John ... Eleanor Workman and ... Miss Marian having ... Mr. Herron at either ...

... Felsenheld of New ... Kate Van Nuys's ... two years ago when the ... belle became Mrs. ... Page is now in ... California, and was hon... last night's hosts in pre... one of their tables, near ... She looked stun... satin with fur, while ... a bewitching pink ... Benton Van Nuys wore ... of white, embroidered ... Albert Llewellyn ... handsome rose satin and ... Mary Wilcox Long... brocade; Mrs. Jefferson ... black tulle dancing ... Henry Carleton Lee, a lovely pink brocaded in silver over silver lace; Mrs. William May Garland, a scintillating sapphire blue satin with bodice of crystalled embroidered net; Mrs. Dean Mason, white lace; Mrs. Granville MacGowan, a beautiful rose satin; Mrs. Sayre Macneil, blue tulle and brocade; Miss Guendolen V. Laughlin, sea-foam green and silver, and Miss Katherine Stearns, pale apricot tulle, taffeta and silver lace. Other guests were Mrs. Hugh F. Stewart and Mrs. W. S. Hook, Jr.

For the Bachelors' Event.

The Mardi Gras fancy dress party of the bachelors on Monday evening will be made the motif for a number of dinner parties. Miss Guendolen V. Laughlin is to have eighteen guests at her home in West Adams street, honoring her house guest, Mrs. William D. Barnard of Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. John Milner are also to entertain as are Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Comstock, Miss Helen Jones will have some of the younger set, as will the Misses Helen and Adelaide Duque, and their brother Gabriel, in whose party will be the Misses Gertrude and Marion Kerckhoff. Thomas Bruen Brown is to have quite a large dinner. Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland and Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy are among the prospective hosts.

In Hearts for Bride-elect.

Appropriate to St. Valentine's day was the card party and shower extended Miss Dorothy Weaver by her aunts, Mrs. John Allen Aldritt and Miss Ada Letts, yesterday afternoon at the former's home on Kenmore avenue. Pink predominated in the decorations. Miss Weaver is to be married to Crawford Ashley Porter on the 20th inst. Bidden were Miss Maude Weirick, who recently came to live in Los Angeles; Miss Taylor and her sister, Mrs. Karn of Canada, who are sisters-in-law of J. G. Bullock; Mrs. A. Strassberger, Miss Ann Sueman, Mrs. Arthur Letts, Mrs. Arthur Letts, Jr., Mrs. Harold Janss, Miss Mildred Bireley, Mrs. Malcolm McNaughton, Mrs. Walter Sheridan, Mrs. W. H. Kilner, Mrs. Neal Dodd of Petaluma, the Misses Edie and Jessie Andrews, Mrs. C. B. Weaver, mother of the bride-elect, Miss May Gibson and Miss Marjorie Porter who has come from Oakland to attend her brother's wedding.

This romance started two years ago when Mr. Porter came down from San Francisco to serve as best man for Rev. Neal Dodd, rector of the Episcopal Church of Petaluma, when the latter won for his bride Miss Lila Elsie Weaver. Miss Dorothy Weaver was maid-of-honor for her sister at that time. Now Rev. and Mrs. Dodd are to reciprocate by officiating as clergyman and matron of honor, respectively, for two of their bridal party. Miss Mildred Bireley, Miss Marjorie Porter and Miss Sueman will be bridesmaids and Chester Malcolm is to stand with the groom. Harlan Weaver, Sterling Porter, Eugene Letts and Dr. Albert Rowe will usher. The service is to be read at the home of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weaver of No. 1845 Edgemont road.

Tomorrow evening Miss Bireley is to extend to Miss Weaver a prenuptial courtesy at her Hollywood home. Miss Weaver was also the recipient of a charmingly arranged miscellaneous shower given by Miss Sueman and Mrs. C. T. Earl last Saturday.

MUSICAL.

Recital.

THE ETERNAL FEMININE.

GUILBERT PRESENTS CHANGING TYPES OF WOMEN.

By Edwin Schallert.

How many women can one woman be in a single evening? Yvette Guilbert answered this riddle of the universe in her own way at her second recital with a programme devoted to the delineation of ten types of women in ten different songs Monday night at Trinity Auditorium. She apparently gave enough different kinds of answers to please everybody in her satisfyingly large audience, for they voiced their appreciation very strongly. Encores followed pretty nearly every group of songs, and it was going on 11 o'clock before the last song was sung and story told, which is rather late for a recital.

Aside from one somber stroke, which quieted the tendency to applaud at the close of the programme, the evening recital was tuned in a lighter mood than the matinee. The stories began back in the Middle Ages and were carried up to the present day. There were pictures as piquant and fascinating and all aglow with sparking humor as one could wish for. The tale of the woman married to a roue who smelled of garlic and stale wine, the story of the lying woman who, though she lied lightly, lied nevertheless, and the contrasting sad tale of La Lisette the faithful, and the sweet story of the children at church were all captivating in their respective conceits.

Guilbert played her roles a great deal more broadly than at the afternoon recital. She made much of the threading of the needle and other little tricks in "Le Liane Serree," the marriage song she gave as an encore. Her presentation of "Oh no, John" in English afforded a pleasant break, for the greater portion of the audience, in the otherwise French programme, although her talks preceding each number are always very illuminating and filled with charm and sparkle.

In its way the last song on Mme. Guilbert's programme, while it presents a hideous picture, is one of the most remarkable she has offered. It is termed "La Femme Fatale," or "La Glu." In it a vampire demands that her lover bring her the heart of his mother to feed to her dog. Insane with passion the youth kills the one who gave him life, and tears out her heart. Returning to his mistress he stumbles and falls. At this, as in a wan whisper from beyond the grave, the heart of the mother speaks: "O, my son, have you suffered any injury?" The song leaves a vile after-taste, but it is a surpassing delineation of the power, the wonderful beauty, of a mother's love, and therein lies its best essence.

Guilbert will give a final recital here Saturday afternoon.

Violinist in Recital.

Marked by scintillating technical and tonal attributes, and a natural and spontaneous verve in expression, the playing of Karel Havlicek drew forth the hearty plaudits of a large audience last night at Blanchard Hall. Formerly with the Boston Symphony orchestra, Mr. Havlicek is now making a tour of the country. He was the featured artist of the programme, being assisted by Edwin Swain, baritone, and Malvina Ehrlich, pianist.

The brilliant character of Mr. Havlicek's work was amply evidenced in the finale from the Mendelssohn concerto, and the "Mazurka de Concert," by Musin. He also gave with clear-cut style and finish Handel's Sonata in A. The breadth of his tone is more in evidence in the slower numbers, but the precision of his bowing makes his prestos and also his spiccato passages a source of fascination. His work may be just a little rough at times, but altogether he is a decidedly interesting young musician, and reminds one a trifle of Elman.

Edwin Swain gave several groups of songs in a very capable manner. His voice is smooth, and he sings easily. His selections were all of the pleasing type. The "Toreador" song proved a very popular offering.

Malvina Ehrlich showed cleverness both in her accompaniments and solo numbers. She is of a very attractive personality, and an able young musician.

Boston Opera Opening.

The Boston Opera Company, with a host of brilliant principals, will open its engagement in this city Monday night with the presentation of "Aida" at Clune's Auditorium. Giovanni Zanatello, Luisa Villani, Maria Gay, George Baklanoff, Jose Mardones and other notables will be in the cast. Other operas to follow include "Iris," "La Boheme," "Tosca," "Madame Butterfly" and "Faust." Repetitions of "Iris" and "La Boheme" are announced for the closing performances.

Cavalieri-Muratore.

Lina Cavalieri and Lucien Muratore will be heard in recital this evening at Shrine Auditorium.

Songbird and Beauty.

Lina Cavalieri,

Italian prima donna, who arrived here yesterday with her husband, Lucien Muratore, who is also a famous singer. They are to appear in joint recital tonight at Shrine Auditorium.

FRIVOLS.

Muratore, Too.

FAIR LINA IS HERE.

BRILLIANT CONJUNCTION OF LUMINARIES.

By Grace Kingsley.

The old town is just alive with feminine beauty and genius this week. Right along there have been in our midst Phyllis Neilson-Terry and Yvette Guilbert, while yesterday there arrived Lina Cavalieri, bearing the championship laurels and wearing the jeweled belt of the world's greatest beauty and one of its most famous singers.

Well, she is lovely. Lovely in all the ways there are, which include not only perfect features and form, but the elusive beauty of mind and spirit. Came with her husband, Muratore, recently from Chicago, and before than with his address "somewhere in France," where he fought and was wounded in the service of his country.

Muratore it was who organized the first choral clubs which sang in the Paris hospitals, and who taught the French soldiers in the trenches new songs and how to sing them together just like a grand opera chorus.

"I think the California ladies are lovely," said Mme. Cavalieri, with her odd and charming little accent. "They should be in this climate—lovely like the vegetables—Oh, no, it wasn't vegetables, was it?—those you put in soup—like the vegetation, that is the word—the flowers and ferns.

What is the principal recipe for cultivating beauty. —Why, nothing but happiness. Happiness and not eating too much. And to keep youthful, one must use one's intelligence.

"The trip was very exciting, yes—because the train was held up for several hours last night in Columbus. They said Villa was near, and was going to attack the train. But—" the lady gave a sparkling little laugh and coquetted with Muratore quite as if he might have been somebody else's husband—"Villa heard there was a French soldier aboard and took himself off in a hurry."

Mutual Admiration Note.

Phyllis Neilson-Terry, who is making a tremendous hit at the Orpheum, is delighted with Southern California. Here she can take her natural English exercises of long riding trips and walks in the country. She has a complexion which even a stage make-up cannot spoil, all strawberries and cream. Off stage she is just a happy, natural, laughing child.

"I find it much more natural to play roles from the Middle Ages than modern characters," she said yesterday. "Perhaps that's because I was brought up on Shakespeare. What character do I want most to play? Lady Macbeth, to be sure.

"I played Queen Elizabeth in one of Sir Tree's London productions. I made up the part with a hook nose and a red wig, and made myself look about 40. When I was crossing to America I heard some people on board discussing me. One of them said: 'She's on board this ship. That's she right there.' 'Oh, that isn't Phyllis Neilson-Terry,' answered the other, scornfully; 'why, Miss Terry's an old lady with a hook nose and red hair!'

"Yes, I like vaudeville work. It is trying at times, and one has to make good. But it puts such verve into one—this getting instantly into the atmosphere of his offering—having to win his audiences at once."

Wickeder and Wickeder.

Miss Desiree Stempel, at the Mason, who is making a big hit as the French lady in "It Pays to Advertise," declares it has been her fate to portray ladies of questionable reputation ever since she made a success in Chicago as the girl of the streets in "Damaged Goods," with Richard Bennett.

"And to think I've hankered ever since I was a youngster to play Little Eva and other angelic creatures. I've given up now, however, and devoted myself to a life of stage sin. I'm studying all the wicked ladies of the stage from Cleopatra to Mrs. Warren, and I mean to make myself the deepest-dyned villianess of them all, from the dramatic standpoint. Yes, I'll just wait until I get to heaven for the golden harp and sunny curls role."

Little, but Oh, My!

Tovia Kittay, the new tenor with the Boston-National Grand Opera Company coming to Clune's Auditorium next week, was a penniless newsboy five years ago in New York City. He was "discovered" by a newspaper reporter on his way to a detail. Rich New Yorkers financed the boy's study career, and today he gives promise of being one of the best tenors in the country. He is a sort of pocket Apollo, being good to look upon, but exactly the height of the famous Japanese prima donna, Tamaki Miura, whom he sings opposite to in "Iris."

Will Mug for the Kids.

Pat Rooney will take a load of children, including the Tobin youngsters, out to visit Charlie Chaplin's studio this morning. Charlie promises to do all the scenes that have funny falls in them for the children's special benefit.

Neutrality Note.

George Spaulding, the clever character actor who was specially engaged for William Weightman's "Hello Hawaii" production at the Burbank, may be said to be his own worst enemy. George's father is a German and his mother is a daughter of France.

Phyllis Neilson-Terry,

Celebrated English actress, who is giving a winning high-brow atmosphere to the Orpheum bill this week.

Here and Coming.

SHOW WORLD REVIEW.

SUNSHINE PLAYS GLADDEN THE RIALTO THIS WEEK.

With the complete elimination of the high-brow and sob stuff, Los Angeles theatergoers are really enjoying themselves this week. There is that sunniest of plays, "We are Seven," at the Morosco; the happy farce, "It Pays to Advertise," at the Mason, a profusion of American girls in Hawaiian costumes at the Burbank, and a world of music and mirth at the vaudeville houses. In the motion-picture field "The Eyes of the World" still holds the screen at Clune's Auditorium, and "Joan the Woman" continues to delight big audiences at the Majestic. At the various other picture houses there is no dearth of classy amusement, and among the "scintillators" some of the most luminous are Olga Petrova, Sessue Hayakawa, Francis X. Bushman, Beverly Bayne, Dorothy Phillips, Tully Marshall, Anita King, Wallace Reid, Valeska Suratt, "Mary Sunshine," C. Aubrey Smith, Mary Martin, Stuart Holmes and Teddy, the Keystone dog.

Mason.

Following the present offering, "It Pays to Advertise," Victor Herbert's new operatic triumph, "The Princess Pat" will make its debut here Monday night at the Mason. The lyrics of this light opera were written by Henry Blossom, and the songs are said to be devoid of the customary banality and balderdash, which offends the ear in the average libretto. The settings for the production are said to be exquisite in detail.

The big cast includes Blanche Duffield, Oscar Figman, Ben Hendricks, Eva Fallon, Alexander Clark, Lodis Casavant, David Quixano, William Quimby, Jack Pollard, Isabelle Jason, Erne Scanlon and Florence Press.

A matinee will be held Thursday instead of Wednesday, with the usual matinee Saturday.

Morosco.

If a play is bad the critics try to be charitable by saying very little about it and the people frankly acknowledge its badness by staying away. The fact that "We are Seven" at the Morosco this week is being praised by people and critics alike is a pretty good sign that it is worth seeing. The play has one of the brightest plots ever born in the brain of the author of "The Poor Little Rich Girl."

Burbank.

From all indications "Hello, Hawaii" will still be running next week at the Burbank Theater. Although advertised as a musical comedy, romance of the flowery home of Luana, the little play is chock full of American humor and Irish wit—and girls, girls, girls! The lassies greet the eye at every turn. If they are not jumping into burning craters they are "stemming the blue tide," strumming the ukulele or dancing the Hoola-hoola.

Orpheum.

The Orpheum bill to open Monday promises to be especially notable in that it will bring back two favorite headliners, Will M. Cressy and Blanche Dayne in Cressy's new play, "A City Chase," and Odiva, the diving girl, and her seals. Also among those present will be Trovato, the eccentric violinist, and Janet Adair and Miss Adelphi in "Song Definitions." Aileen Stanley, "the girl with the personality," has a number of rich gowns and fine songs, while Myrl and Delmar offer a novelty sketch entitled "Over the Garden Gate." Remaining over for another week will be the charming Phyllis Neilson-Terry in songs and dramatic selections, and Milt Collins, "the Speaker of the House."

Pantages.

Two special events will be features of the current week at Pantages. The first will be Friday evening. The entire cast of the great serial film, "The Lass of the Lumberlands," which closes this week, will be present at the theater.

The second event will be Saturday afternoon. The wonderful trained water lions of Mr. Winston's act will be the hosts on the stage to the children. Each child will be permitted to order the marvelous seals to do tricks just as Mr. Winston does in his act.

Hippodrome.

According to official press-agent information the programme which begins at the Hippodrome next Monday is going to be the best ever. The Ten Lowes, lariat manipulators, have an interesting routine of rope-spinning and they are followed by quite a contrasting act in Madison and Nace, listed as "Four Hundred Pounds of Harmony." A neat novelty idea is presented by the three Anderson Sisters in a terpsichorean stunt, and Dumais and Floyd will talk and sing "to beat the band." Evans, Lloyd and company will offer a morality playlet, entitled "The Alternative," while Weir, Temple and Dacey are advertised as "Just a Trio."

Miller's.

Theda Bara in "The Tiger Woman," said to be one of the "vampirest" vampire pictures in which the famous screen siren has ever appeared, will be at Miller's Theater beginning Sunday. In "The Tiger Woman" Director Edwards has surrounded the star with a brilliant company including Glenn White, Herbert Heyes, Mary Martin, John Webb Dillion and Kittens Reichert. In addition, the bill will contain a two-reel Foxfilm comedy.

"The Scarlet Letter," which is showing this week, is an unusually big and fascinating photoplay.

Majestic.

It is doubtful if any battle scenes ever projected on a moving-picture screen equaled the remarkable conflicts in "Joan the Woman," which continues to attract immense audiences to the Majestic Theater. Yet better than the battle scenes, better than any feature about the picture, unless it be Geraldine Farrar, is the thrilling music accompanying the production. The music was written by William Furst and the big orchestra is under his personal direction.

The picture continues to draw big audiences.

Clune's Broadway.

In "The Gun Fighter," William S. Hart is doing some of the best and most "heroic" work of his career, and the big audiences that are seeing the picture at Clune's Broadway this week are filling the management's heart with joy—and the box office coffers with coin.

Next week's attraction will be Robert Harron, Mildred Harris and Josephine Crowell in "The Bad Boy."

Garrick.

This being the last week of Charlie Chaplin in his screaming success, "Easy Street," thousands of local admirers of the funny man are thronging to the Garrick to watch him "pull" his new stunts.

Another heart-winner at the Garrick this week is the pretty photodrama, "The Piper's Price," with Dorothy Phillips.

Next week Mary MacLaren will appear in Lois Weber's production, "The Mysterious Mrs. M." in which Miss MacLaren co-stars with Harrison Ford.

Superba.

While "Twin Kiddies," which features the clever little Mary Sunshine at the Superba this week, is, in a sense, a sociological play, it does not pretend to go into the subject very deeply, other than to prove that happy children are the foundation upon which true civilization rests and that the development of character is of far more importance than the garnering of dollars. Little Mary, in her double role of both the happy and the unhappy child, does some of the best work of her brief, but brilliant career. The serial "Patria" continues to win friends to the nation-wide campaign for preparedness.

Tally's Broadway.

The picturization of Augustus Thomas's dramatic story, "The Witching Hour," with C. Aubrey Smith in the leading role, is proving the biggest drawing card of the year, so far, at Tally's Broadway Theater.

Beginning Monday, the attraction is to be the screen version of Robert W. Chambers's novel, "The Girl Phillipa," with Anita Stewart as "The Girl." This is a notable production.

Palace.

With an artistic array of animated scenes of the greatest city in the United States, entitled "Greater New York," serving as a co-headliner to "The Golden Fetter," the Palace Theater offers an exceptionally good programme. From a standpoint of biographical art, C. Post Mason's panoramic spectacle of the nation's metropolis is a most unusual picture.

Tully Marshall has a prominent part in "The Golden Fetter," which features Anita King and Wallis Reid.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home.) Trading on the New York Stock Exchange was superficial, total sales of 300,000 shares being recorded, while operations were restricted to a few groups of professionals. The situation in Cuba was reflected in the course of sugar issues, Cuban American making a gross decline of six points. Bonds were irregular, Anglo-French Fives making a new low price of 90½ before recovering, while Paris Sixes gained a point. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

BACK TO THE WOODS.

A young girl of 14, who says she is a descendant of European royalty, ran away from home, and officers discovered her hiding in the woods near Portland. Perhaps she realized that it is about time for European royalty to take to the tall timbers.

WE TOLD 'EM SO.

In Seattle a man has applied for a divorce, claiming that his wife smokes in bed and that her conduct is annoying to his olfactory nerves. We warned those folks up there that if they tried prohibition something worse would happen. "And the worst is yet to come."

WELCOME TO OUR CITY.

A Chicago family has started on a hike to Los Angeles. The walkers expect to make 2600 miles in 140 days. On the Ankle express stop-overs are unlimited. However, we venture to wager that when they reach Los Angeles they will wish they had taken the train and done all their "constitutionals" in Southern California.

DIVINE HEALING.

There is a great deal of talk lately on the subject of "divine healing" and whether or not there is "anything in it." Some people seem to forget the fact that all healing must be Divine healing and that, regardless of whether a cure be effected by medicine or magnetism, water or electricity, food or sunlight, the healing agencies could not possibly come from any other than the Divine source of life.

CORRECT.

George Barr McCutcheon, the novelist, who, with Mrs. McCutcheon, is visiting friends in Pasadena, says that California women are growing younger in appearance. Absolutely correct, "Mac!" Go to the head of the class. And just let anybody "dast" to dispute your statement! It is a natural law in California, especially in the southern part of the State, that folks grow young instead of old. Every time a rose fades in this sweet land its color finds its way into the cheeks of some visitor from the East who has come here to seek the health which only a clime like this can give.

PEACEFUL BILLY.

Billy Bryan has an exceedingly simple plan for avoiding war with Germany. It is to keep American citizens from taking passage on belligerent ships and to refuse clearances to American vessels bound for a port within the danger zone, just as the Mayor of a city keeps citizens in their homes when a mob is in possession of the street.

A dog which puts his tail beneath his legs, rolls over on his back in the dirt and piteously whines, may escape being bitten by other dogs. But a dog which trots along quietly with his tail stiff in the air and growls all the time has a better chance of escaping molestation from other dogs.

BEAUTIFUL, BUT MUDDLED.

Senator Ham Lewis of Illinois says of the European war, it is "civilization pleading in the name of God that the century now reeling in the death grapple of Christianity with barbarism shall halt in its crumbling of kingdoms and crushing of empires."

That is beautiful, oh, how beautiful, but who shall do the halting, the Entente or the Central Powers? The Senator further says that "we in the republic of America are not without consolation in the presence of the world's catastrophe; for in this cataclysm we behold the coming transformation." What is our consolation, Ham? Is it our exportation of munitions or the advanced prices of wheat, potatoes and pork?

If Hudibras was right in saying that "words are the rhetorician's tools," Senator Ham has mixed up his gimlets, his hammers and his saws so that one can hardly tell which is which and which is the other.

WHAT THEY WAITED FOR.

There are a few people in this country who are anxiously awaiting the tidings of the torpedoing of an American ship by a German submarine, in the same spirit as that which animated the breast of Private Pat Brannigan during the American occupation of the City of Mexico.

Gen. Scott had issued an order, prohibiting the looting of Mexican property, or any entry of our soldiers into Mexican houses. But some Mexicans, inspired by hatred of gringos, would, from the roofs or upper windows of houses, fire at American soldiers who, when off duty, were walking unarmed about the streets.

In order to put a stop to this practice Gen. Scott issued a second order exempting from the protection of the first order any house from which a shot should be fired at an American soldier.

The order was issued at noon, and at dusk Private Pat Brannigan was seen ostentatiously parading around the plaza. He was called by his commanding officer. "Brannigan," said the captain, "come here! Don't you know you are liable to be shot from the window or roof of one of these houses?" "Yes, captain," replied Pat, "that is just what the byes are afther waiting for."

AS FOR RAISING THE PRICE OF LEGISLATORS.

When Senator Brown spoke before the Women's City Club on Monday, explaining certain bills to come before the Legislature, he did not fail to explicitly convey the impression that the majority of our State legislators were not worth their salt. His merry descriptive account of the way bills are run through the legislative machine was at once illuminating and discouraging. Yet he feels that we ought to pay our legislators more. What can we expect for $3000 a year? Naturally, if an employee is hopelessly inefficient and conscienceless at $3000 a year, the simple act of promoting him to $5000 a year will redeem his soul. In an ordinary business the employee usually has to prove himself able and efficient on the pay he is getting before we give him a rise. But in politics we must not expect intelligence and consciences and loyalty, not even a good character, unless we raise the value of the bait.

The argument lacked logic. There was no applause, but a disconcerting silence in the club. There were many who felt that we were already paying men controversially worth, say, $100 a month nearly three times over for doubtful value received—on the Senator's own evidence. The only real effect of the intimate little account of the daily labor of our legislators, whom the Senator depicted as being quite unable to cope with the mass of legislative matter before them, was that we need twice as many representatives with twice as much conscientious integrity, on half as much pay and considerably fewer legislative measures for them to work upon.

Doubtless if a better grade of intellectual attainment offered itself for office and proved its industry, loyalty, wisdom and integrity, we should feel stirrings of enthusiasm about raising its pay, but at present we can't help believing that something is being put over on us, especially when one of their number gives us a peep behind the scenes.

IS GERMANY TO STARVE?

Is Germany starving? If so, the fault is the Kaiser's, who is undoubtedly responsible for the conduct of the war. Had the rules observed during every other war been followed, all the grain ships and others with valuable food cargoes which have been intercepted by the German submarines would have been convoyed to some German port and the food supplies sold to the people who we are now told are starving. The inauguration of the submarine warfare put this possibility to one side, for none of the undersea vessels have had enough extra men to furnish a temporary crew to a captured vessel. The alternative has been to sink every vessel captured, thus destroying the very things that are now so much needed by the German people. To have pursued any other methods would have required the use of regular warships and England and France would have been better able to have competed with the Germans on the sea, as they were notably deficient in their preparations for adequate undersea fighters at the beginning of the war. Germany thus prepared itself for the very condition that now prevails.

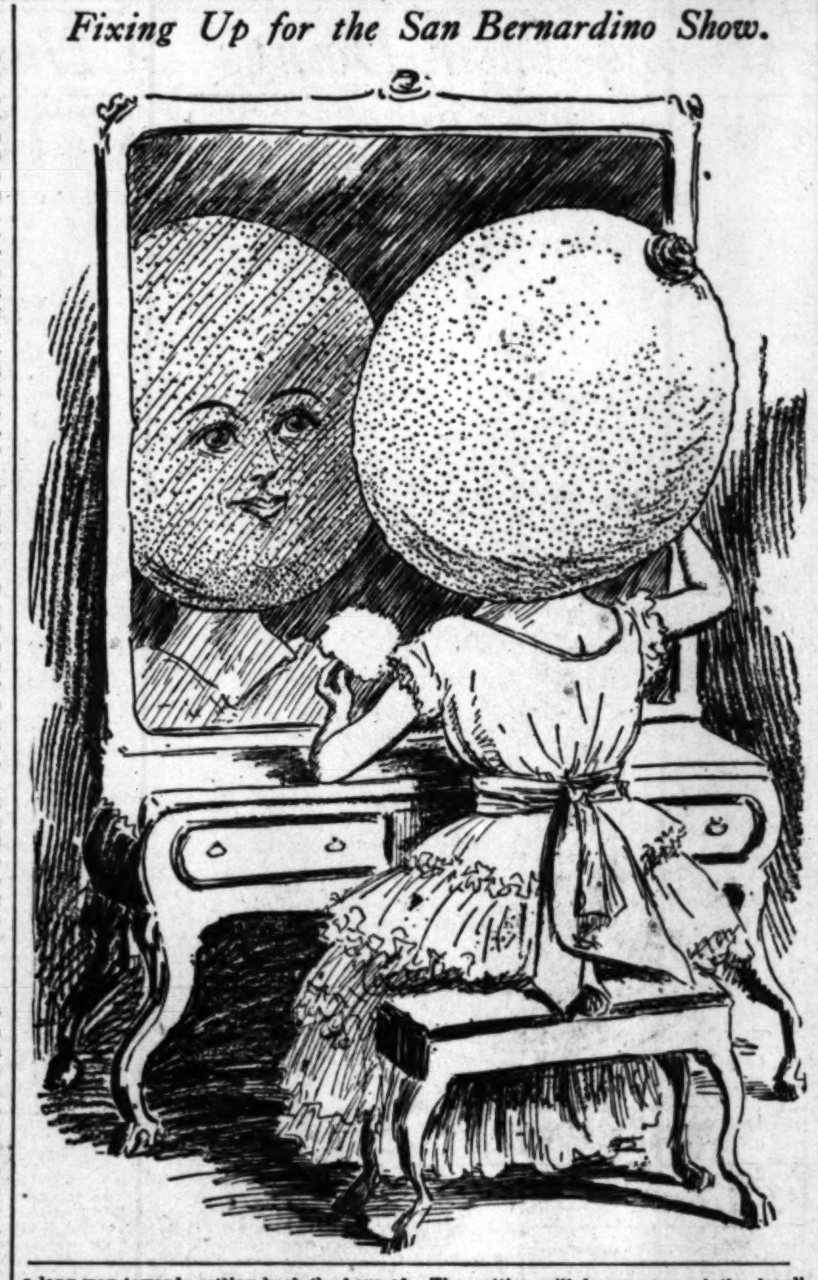
Food substitutes are rarely of equal nutritive value to those for which they are substituted, and yet the best that could possibly be done has undoubtedly been done by the scientific men who have had this matter in charge. Proteins, carbohydrates, fats, mineral matters and calories have been studied to the limit, and with the materials at hand foods have been built up and served to the people who have found them more filling than nutritious. Dutch workmen who have been employed in Germany are said to have recently returned to their homes and surprised the people of Holland with their changed physical condition. They had been well paid by their employers in Germany, but had been obliged to subsist on butter substitutes, meat soup substitutes, war bread, coffee substitutes, etc. They had as much as they wanted in quantity but the nutritive value was so low that they returned home starving.

The human system performs many complex duties. In the process of digestion the tissues of the body select the necessary elements required to keep up the waste continually going on, practically regardless of what food has been eaten, as few if any people ever stop to think whether they are eating carbohydrates or proteids. They follow the dictates of their appetite and eat whatever they choose. The system balances up the ration if there be enough in the food eaten to permit this to be done. If too much fat is consumed it is stored up in the body, and when a period of starvation ensues this surplus of fat is drawn upon first to supply the energy required for work and for maintaining the bodily warmth. The surplus of starches and sugars also becomes transformed into fat and likewise saved for a time of need. The proteid food, such as beef, eggs, bread, milk, cheese and fish, is needed to keep up the tissues, the muscles, bone, nerve, etc., and some of these may be transformed into fat. Thus meat can take the place of starch, sugar and fat, but starch, sugar and fat cannot take the place of proteid for the repair of tissue waste.

The daily amount of food required for a fair-sized man doing hard work must provide about 3000 calories of energy, and since rather over four ounces of the daily food must be proteid to supply the wear and tear, this leaves 2500 to be supplied by carbohydrates and fat together. The proportion is a minor consideration; the Eskimo will make it up in fat, because in the northern regions sugar and cereals are unobtainable. The natives of India and the poorer classes of the world in general use cereal food because of its great cheapness compared with meat.

We do not know very much about what foods have been available to the Germans, nor what substitutes have been used, but an idea of the shortness appears in a dispatch to the New York Herald which tells of families being given only three pounds of potatoes per head per week, half a pound of meat per head, three ounces of butter, etc., and this for week after week. The quantity named in this dispatch of the three above articles of food would furnish a total of only 5539 calories of heat and energy for the week, while an ordinary laboring man should have at least 3000 per day, thus leaving a shortage of 15,460 calories for the week. We have heard of potato bread, but while regular bread contains 4400 calories, potatoes contain only 1013, so that the more potatoes used in place of wheat the nearer a man would come to the starvation point. The cargoes of wheat that have been sunk by the German submarines would have gone a long way towards setting back the hour of starvation. If Germany is starving it is very largely the result of the methods adopted in the hope of starving out England, but which have resulted in back action on the German people themselves.

Fixing Up for the San Bernardino Show.



THE ARIZONA CELEBRATION.

The Hassayampers resident or visiting in Los Angeles celebrated yesterday the birthday of the youngest and one of the most prosperous of the forty-eight children of the nation.

The pioneers of Arizona did not reach their destination in Pullman cars. With their wives and little ones and all their stuff in wagons, they went as our remote ancestors went from the German forests, to seek new pastures and to found new kingdoms. They were self-marshaled and leaderless. They were not, as a rule, inspired by vulgar avarice, but by a just and prudent desire to improve their fortunes. Theirs was the antiquated Homeric spirit wedded to common-sense Americanism. Before the organization of territorial government they were able to preserve order without law and to maintain justice without tribunals.

Their possession of absolute personal independence never degenerated into the savage liberty of a country without law, into cruelty or oppression.

Arizona led all the States of the Union last year in the production of wealth in proportion to population. Her yield of copper amounted to $1000 worth for every man, woman and child in the State. Her gold and silver production was large. Her orchards and fields yielded great harvests, for her people dammed her rivers instead of damning her capitalists.

The growth of Arizona socially and morally has rivaled her advance materially. She has exiled the faro and roulette industry southward into Mexico. She has said to reckless imbibers of alcoholic fluids: "If you feel that you must quench your unlawful thirst, go to Los Angeles." And to her women she has said, as said Ahasuerus of old to Esther: "Thou art not my leman or mine inferior; thou art mine equal and my queen; seat thee on the throne beside me and together we will rule our fair land."

The advance of Arizona in all things is due largely to her grizzled Argonauts, some of whom yesterday honored Los Angeles with their presence. Hail and welcome to them!

AN AMERICAN-BORN BARON.

Lord Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has a "back-to-the-land" programme for ex-soldiers that is peculiarly attractive. In Alberta the largest irrigation system in the Western Hemisphere has been completed. It will make 3,000,000 acres of farm lands available for settlers. Lord Shaughnessy has secured 100,000 acres of this land, which is to be divided into 1000 farms of 100 acres each. On each 100 acres a soldier settler will be given a comfortable house of four or five rooms, a barn large enough to house eight or ten head of stock, a well all dug with a pump installed, wire fences stretched and in place, and land ready for cultivation. The veteran settler will probably find some of his land sown to wheat, oats and barley when he arrives. In short, the settler will find the pioneering work all done. He steps into a farm that is ready to bring in a living. All that is required of the settler is hard work. It is up to him to keep his farm going. This plan represents the expenditure of $3,500,000 for preparations alone. It means the building of 1000 houses and 1000 barns, 1300 miles of fence, digging 1000 wells and getting some 50,000 acres of land under cultivation. It is estimated that 20,000,000 feet of lumber will be required for the buildings.

Each returned veteran colony will be a little city in itself. Perhaps it will be the nucleus of a future metropolis. Some will be located in districts already thickly settled; others will be in more isolated sections. In either case there will be plenty of social activities, schools and churches. The settler will know none of the loneliness that was the part of the early pioneer. Such are the plans of this unusual scheme as they have been worked out so far.

One thousand farms will not go far among 100,000 returning soldiers. The great value of the project is that it points a way for the British government to follow in its North American, Antipodean and island colonies.

Lord Shaughnessy was a Milwaukee boy who worked for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway. He accepted an offer from the Canadian Pacific, became a naturalized British subject and went from one office to another until he became president of the Canadian Pacific system, when George V created him a Baron.

TEMPLE STREET AGAIN.

Now that the Second-street tunnel is assured, the people of the northwest section of the city would like to know when the Temple street franchise is to be taken up and something done to relieve the dangerous condition of this road bed. They are getting thoroughly tired of the "bump the bumps" and "shoot the chutes" style of riding as a daily exercise. As things are now a trip out Temple street might be recommended as better than an ocean voyage for a torpid liver, but the unfortunate citizen who has to travel over this route is not particularly grateful for the free treatment. In the morning he has to read his paper by jerks. At night, when he hangs to a strap, he can't even read head lines between jolts.

That China is the first neutral to fairly and squarely place itself on record as ready to enter President Wilson's proposed combination to force Germany from continuing her ruthless submarine warfare is creditable to both the head and the heart of the new Celestial Republic. And while the United States needs no indorsement in the stand taken for the sacred rights of humanity, she nevertheless welcomes the attitude of the most populous nation on earth. For if China, that through the centuries has been devoted to peace even under dire provocation, is stirred to take action against the German undersea menace, we feel all the more confident that President Wilson took the only steps possible for a self-respecting nation to take in breaking off diplomatic relations with the government of the Kaiser.

Ample pork-barrel opportunities have been afforded hungry hangers-on of the present plunderbund in Sacramento. It now promises to turn its attention to the yearnings of its thirsty supporters. Under the pretentious title, "A Commission of Investigators of Traffic in Alcoholic Liquors," it would set aside $10,000 of the taxpayers' money for enabling duly accredited adherents to sample all the booze offered for sale in the State. There will be no lack of would-be appointees to fill this commission.

We have too many would-be reformers, each bent on remodeling the universe out of his own head, and each expecting to do so by material agencies alone. If only every one of them would read the gospels and so find out how the leader of Christian thought proposed to cure evil on earth we should have less lawmaking and more Christianity in our modern civilized life. Christ never preached righteousness by city ordinance or State commission.

Henry Ford thinks if the railroads were managed properly they could be run more economically, that fares could be reduced and earnings increased. So far as we know there is no law against Henry investing his bulging profits in the automobile business in a railroad. He thunders too much in the index, for purely advertising purposes.

Some years ago the American method of mixing in international affairs was called "shirt-sleeved diplomacy." Can anybody suggest an improvement in the name of the present brand?

On Trial.

HORSEFLESH IS GOOD.

New York Takes Promptly to the New Food, and a World Reporter Pronounces the Meat Appetizing.

[New York World:] Buying meat at New York's new horseflesh market on First avenue, near One Hundred and Twenty-second street, proved an interesting adventure to many Harlemites, and a small crowd of customers were waiting their turn to be served when a reporter of the World, assigned to purchase horseflesh, get it cooked, eat it and then write his experience, entered the shop.

A middle-aged workingman came timidly in and looked over the sides of meat hanging, the fat quarters on the blocks, the neatly-arranged furniture, and, suddenly making up his mind, said: "Gimme two pounds of porterhouse steak, please." Then, turning to the reporter, he remarked: "It's good eating, when you get it fresh." He paid 22 cents and went out with his package.

The reporter bought four pounds of tenderloin neatly cut and tied up for a pot roast. He paid fifteen cents a pound. A visit to a green grocer's store added two Bermuda onions, a head of celery and another endive to the embryo dinner. Then the reporter, who prides himself on being something of a cook, and in trapping camps, on hunting expeditions, fishing trips and in logging camps, has not only cooked but eaten viands strange to Manhattan hotels, went home.

In two minutes he was in the kitchen, an apron about his waist and was washing the roast in cold water, after which a thick juicy steak was cut from the side for broiling. Horsemeat is a darker red than beef, and the suet has a yellowish look, but the flesh was firm and sweet smelling. After the steak had been pounded with a hammer, as guides beat tough moose steak to make it tender, and had been rolled in chopped onions, with salt and pepper rubbed into it, with a tablespoonful of butter to melt among the onion chips, it was soon sizzling and browning under the gas broiler and sending out the savory odor that most good meats do.

The three-pound roast, seared over in a hot fryingpan with pork fat to keep the juice in, and then put into a covered casserole, was set back on the stove to await the onions, fried in pork fat until shrivelled and brown. Then the onions and fat, with enough water to cover the bottom of the kettle an inch deep, were put in with the roast and the cover closed and the whole put upon the fire. The steak was basted with the melted butter and juices from the drip pan as a bear steak or a roasting squirrel is basted to keep it from browning too fast.

The steak, well done and smothered in onions, was placed on the table and the reporter proceeded to eat. Incidentally, he was hungry. The first taste was a disappointment—for it didn't seem to be any new experience. He has eaten steaks in many cities, and somehow this flavor seemed familiar. While it was suggestive of other steaks he had eaten, he couldn't remember just where he had dined on those occasions. But the horseflesh tenderloin was good, palatable and rather gratifying. Perhaps it was a trifle tougher than a beef tenderloin, but was easily masticated. Cooked without onions it might have been a little sweeter than beef, but was not as different from beef as moosemeat or venison is. The toughness might have been the result of hurried broiling. Horseflesh is more "close" and compact, the dealers say, than beef.

A 12-year-old boy who belongs about the house, coming in hungry from school, demanded something to eat and, being warned it was horse steak, replied: "I don't care if it's a boiled owl. Gimme some!" He found fault neither with its toughness, its flavor nor savor—only that there was not enough of it. When would the pot roast be done? What he did to that was a caution.

John Sulser, proprietor of the horseflesh store, whose meats are inspected and slaughtered under the regulations of the Department of Health, held a general reception. People came from all over Greater New York to see his store. His assistant was kept busy cutting and weighing meat which sold in tenderloins for 15 cents a pound; porterhouse steaks, 12; sirloin, 12; round, 12; chuck, 8, and other cuts in proportion.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

HARD SMILING.

It's hard to smile when you have the grip, when you cough all day and all night you yip, when your lungs are sprained and your throat is peeled, and your head feels much like a football field. Oh, it's hard to smile, but it can be done; I have tried the scheme, and the effort won. And the doctor said, as he gave me pills, and some castor oil, and a quart of squills, "I wish my patients were all like you, but they mostly roar when the doctor's due." And all who minister unto me, when I'm as sick as a man can be, behold the radiance of my smile, and say it's something that's well worth while, and they fondly hope that I may get worse, it's such a pleasure my pile to nurse. When sickness comes to a man's abode, the women carry a grievous load. They fret and worry and work and weep, they miss their meals and they lose their sleep. And he is surely a tinhorn skate who gives their burden an added weight, by grouching round in a peevish style, for if he wishes to he can smile.

WALT MASON.

There was need of protection for our industries before the war, yet the Democratic party refused it, enacting a tariff which produced extreme industrial depression during the winter preceding the outbreak. Possibly the Wilson administration has learned from experience, and the new tariff board may have the consent of the administration to increase duties.

THE NEED OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION.

BY TOM FITCH.

National vocational education is a policy of Republican origin. The first bill for the creation of agricultural colleges was vetoed by James Buchanan on the ground that education in any form was a matter of purely State and local concern and that he feared Federal aid would "cause the States to lean upon the national government for the support of their own educational systems."

In 1862 Congressman Morrill of Vermont introduced and obtained the passage of a measure granting to the States tracts of land on which to build agricultural and mechanical colleges wherein should be trained young men for work on farms and in industrial vocations.

The Morrill Agricultural College Act was followed each year by acts appropriating money and lands for the support of these colleges. In 1887 the Hatch act was passed giving an annual appropriation of $15,000 to each State for the maintenance of an agricultural experiment station. This was subsequently increased to $30,000 per annum. Now each of the forty-eight States receives an annual appropriation of $80,000 for the support of their agricultural and mechanical colleges and experiment stations. In all 15,000,000 acres of land and $46,000,000 in money have been donated to these colleges and they receive an annual cash appropriation of over $4,000,000.

The several States have appropriated about fourteen times this amount. Each of the forty-eight States has a great agricultural and mechanical college or university. Over 60,000 students are enrolled and great help has been given to our agricultural and industrial development.

Yet less than one-seventh of the attendants at these colleges are agricultural students. The others take courses in English, history, mathematics, physics and other sciences. Great as has been the results of the Morrill act, it failed to carry vocational education to the great masses of our people.

According to the last census there were 12,659,203 persons in the United States, both male and female, engaged in farming, and 14,261,376 persons engaged in manufacturing, mechanical pursuits and allied industries. Not one in 100 of the workers engaged in industrial pursuits have had adequate training for the work in which they are engaged.

"A remedy," says Congressman Powers, "ought to be found for this condition. Since less than 2 per cent. of our children—largely the future citizens of our country—go through a college or university, and therefore less than 2 per cent. of them are directly benefited by Federal grants to our agricultural and mechanical colleges, some way ought to be devised to reach and aid the other 98 per cent."

A bill is pending in Congress which proposes to extend Federal aid to each State, first, in the teaching and preparing teachers to teach agricultural subjects; second, in the teaching and preparing teachers to teach home economics, trade and industrial subjects.

Section 2 of the bill provides "that for the purpose of co-operating with the States in paying the salaries of teachers, supervisors and directors of agricultural subjects" there is hereby authorized to be appropriated certain sums of money to the States each year till June 30, 1925, when it reaches the sum of $3,000,000. Each year thereafter it is to be that sum. The sum allotted to each State will be in the proportion that its rural population bears to the entire rural population of the United States. But before any State would be permitted to share in these funds the State would have to match dollar for dollar with the Federal government under the plans and arrangements provided for in the bill.

In order to support the present and future life of this nation and make farming pay as it should, our farmers need to know more about the soils, orcharding, dairying, poultry raising, truck gardening, horticulture, bee culture, stock raising, stock breeding, rotation of crops, the testing of seeds, drainage and the chemical properties and value of fertilizers. The demands upon our country for food products are such as to make more intensive and more progressive farming an absolute necessity.

Our wasteful and unscientific culture of the soil is evidenced by the following facts:

Germany had, in 1907, 43,000,000 acres sowed in wheat, barley, oats and potatoes. She harvested 3,000,000,000 bushels. We had in the United States the same year 88,500,000 acres in the same crops and harvested only 1,875,000,000 bushels. Germany had less than half the acreage and harvested nearly double the same number of bushels. Kansas, Minnesota and North Dakota are our three greatest wheat-producing States. France is about the same size as these three States. France sowed, in 1907, 16,000,000 acres in wheat. The States of Kansas, Minnesota and North Dakota did the same. In that year France harvested from her 16,000,000 acres 325,000,000 bushels of wheat. Kansas, Minnesota and North Dakota harvested from the same number of acres only 188,000,000 bushels. They have 45,000 agricultural schools in France. France is the greatest producing nation in the world today. Germany, France, England and other countries produce from two to three times more of all sorts of products per acre than we do, and yet they have no better soil and no better climate. Science must do for us what it has done for these other countries.

The percentage of children who leave school at an early age has greatly increased of late years because their parents fail to see how the study of algebra, higher arithmetic, Latin or Greek is going to aid them in knowing how to do farm work or mechanical work.

Vocational education will conserve and develop both natural and human resources. It will help to promote a productive and prosperous agriculture.

The fifth anniversary of the admission of Arizona to the Union was celebrated last night by the Hassayampa Society. Arizona has grown much in the public opinion since she turned over a new leaf and elected a Republican Governor.

PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Lusitania, move over and ... room for the Afric.

Mortgages on the automobile ... being worn more decollete this ...

The polo season is on at River... How would they play that ... it were not for the horses?

With the continued advance ... the cost of living, there does ... seem to be much in the Happy ... Year wishes.

With China taking grounds ... the Kaiser, it looks as if the ... centage against the Hohen... family were increasing.

A bill has been introduced ... California Senate for the pro... of eels. Why not do something ... the suckers?

It used to be that, back ... snow drifts were described as ... deep. Now it is referred to as ... high.

Among the casualties reported ... past week or ten days have ... number of anti-Jap bills in ... Legislatures.

The engagement of Gen. Persh... to a widow is reported. It re... the nerve of a veteran to tackle ... widow.

Hail, oh, hail, to Woodrow W... the President of one hundred ... lions of people! United we stand ... vided we fall!

The man who would not stand ... for the United States at the pre... juncture would have no hesita... kicking a lamb in the face.

So far, President Wilson has ... no infinitives in his correspond... with any of the foreign powers ... is possible that the worst is y... come.

There are a number of the ... principalities across the ... will re-echo the complaint of A... mus Ward, "We are ... 2-mutch."

The present year is likely ... one of surprises, and the only ... employ will be the old philoso... one of hoping for the best and ... paring for the worst.

A gun has been invented ... American mechanic that fi... thousand shots a minute. ... thing to prove its success ... it rejected by the War De...

Some of the ardent ... claim that the politicians ... parties tried to cheat the w... twenty-five States. Yes, and ... about as far as they got ... "Tried" is right.

A bill to incorporate the ... McKinley Birthplace Associ... been introduced by Senator ... It is proposed to erect a ... at Niles. A full dinner pail ... find some place on the mem...

The opinion appears to be ... alent that not as a prepar... war, but as a safeguard ag... we should have universal ... training. Some new history ... written in the story of the ... of the world.

What has become of the ... Senator Works to fine ... who refuses to vote $2... does not vote right it ou... him about a ten spot, and ... to change by inserting ... ment to that effect.

There is only one State ... Union where the women's ... the recent election is ... known, and that is Illinois ... this vote is counted separ... total women's vote agains... throughout the State was ...

Dr. Katharine M. Blackf... chologist and character ... says that blondes are to be ... inant power in this world ... have seen a few brunettes ... hold their own. Blondes ... because things are not the ... the brunette goes out and ...

Charles Evans Hughes ... the platform of a united A... party: "We are all A... standing loyally behind ... Wilson, on whom this gre... sibility rests. The exist... nation can fix the limit ... rights." Isn't that loyal, ... pith and fiber?

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No more he stands ...
lands,
While love blows hot and ...
No more he weighs with ...
hands
The new faith and the ol...
The past's dead thing...
Aside he flings;
Hark to his new-made ...
Only one flag! Only ...
There's only one flag ...

O blue-eyed Hans! your ...
plain
When, with your soul ...
You left behind the eagle ...
To hail the eagle lone,
Back flew the bars ...
To show the stars,
And still they light your ...
Only one flag! Only ...
There's only one flag ...

You, Pat, who let the ancient ...
Blind you to newer good ...
Now to the limbo of dead ...
Your strange alliance ...
The love that's been
For Ireland's green
To greater love must bow,
Only one flag! Only ...
There's only one flag ...

You from the country of the ...
You from the Alpine crag ...
Only one country now you ...
Only one love, one flag,
You break the bands
Of motherlands,
And this your why and ...
Only one flag! Only ...
There's only one flag ...

—[John O'Keefe, in ...]

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...ES DARCY AND MIKE GIBBONS TO BATTLE TEN ROUNDS IN MILWAUKEE.

Polo.

...N MATEO IS EASY VICTOR.

...Team Defeats Four of Riverside.

...and Driscoll Grace Side Lines.

...Tevis Furnishes a Few Thrills.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

...Feb. 14.—San Mateo ... at Riverside today in the ... of the polo tournament, ... the novice cups by a score ... Driscoll, the star left- ... captain of San Mateo ... Drury, Riverside's cap- ... not play, and without their ... the team work was ... in spots, but at that the ... a lively one and well- ...

... started off like the ... proved to be, scoring ... opening period and then ... electrified their sup- ... scoring four times in ... in the second. But ... out, and for the next ... though goal after goal ... and many missed only ... a single score was ...

... played in almost as ... four periods, until ... the hoodoo by a ... and Tevis drove ... in the final period. ... scoring was done by ... of San Mateo, one of the ... young players on the ... clever stick work ... goals made by his ... Christian De ... twice and Capt. Mc-...

... star of Monday's ... two of Riverside's ... Pattee one, and Arthur ... played in Drury's place. ... refused to behave ... the game that they ... at a nickle apiece. ... does not tell the story ... there was a bunch ... goodness hard-luck ... number of the goal ... every right have been ... than eight times ... the ball up to ... in the sixth period ... on the final stroke ... one side. Riverside ... hard luck at the ... field and what often ... the grand stand to ... goal failed to raise the ...

..., however, Riverside was ... the northerners won ... For San Mateo, G. ... No. 1, Capt. Mc- ... Willie Tevis, No. 3; H. ... No. 4.

... A. H. Holden was ... Pattee, No. 2; F. D. ... and A. H. Lett, No. 4. ... see the closely- ... which played in Mon- ... in a clash for the Wal- ... and it promises to ... event.

... Midwick is sending ... to clash with the Riv- ... the visitors to be Har- ... Spalding, E. Q. Mc- ... Macy, and the Riv- ... Holden, Lyman ... Pedley and Alvin ...

ALEC STILL HOLDS OUT.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The recall of Fultz's strike order will not relieve President William F. Baker and Manager Pat Moran of the Phillies of their chief source of worry. Grover Cleveland Alexander, champion pitcher of the big league, brought out this point by wire to the Quaker officials today. Alexander notified his employers that, strike or no strike, he would consider no salary less than $15,000 a year. Philadelphia has offered this great star $8000, an increase of $1000 over last year's pay. Baker would not discuss Alexander's wire further than to intimate that big Alec might take or leave the salary offered.

HOWARD READY TO START NOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Strike or no strike, Del Howard could put a team of Oaks in the field for a pennant race today.

Howard came down from Boyes Springs today, chiefly to strike a balance in his accounts, and when he had finished this is what he learned:

Players signed, 21.

Players unsigned, 9.

Here's the list of men who are within the fold:

Pitchers—Kinney, Arlett, Goodbred, Rojas, Newkirk, Hurll and Boccoli.

Catchers—Kilhullen and Callan.

Infielders—Sheehan, Murphy, Coltrin, Hammond, Mussel, Thompson and Hayes.

Outfielders—Lane, Mensor, Miller, Cronkridte and Diehl.

Many regulars, chiefly pitchers, are included in the nine who have as yet failed to send in their contracts. His unsigned players are Burns, Prough, Calwell, Beer, Boyd, Pruitt, Berger, Middleton and Barry.

In the list of signed players there are many new names, largely novices, who are to be tested at Boyes.

JIMMY SHECKARD CUBS NEAR-BOSS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—James Sheckard, former star outfielder with the Chicago Nationals, who will assist Fred Mitchell, manager of the club, during the coming season, will be in charge of the second team on the California training trip, it was announced today. Forty games will be played by team No. 2, starting at Santa Ana March 2.

Owing to a rule adopted by the Pacific Coast League, team No. 2 will not be permitted to play any games with the league teams on their home grounds, but several games have been scheduled with these teams at other cities. The team will play San Francisco at Sacramento on March 8 and 10 and also at Marysville, on March 12.

The Chicagoans also will meet Spokane at Sacramento on the forenoon of March 11, and they play San Francisco on the same field in the afternoon. Two games also are scheduled with the Spokane club at Stockton, Cal., on March 17 and 18.

Sensational.

STEVENSON IS LEADING LIGHT.

His Team Wins Brilliant Polo Match.

And He Makes Six Goals for Winning Side.

Cowdin Tires Toward End and Relaxes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CORONADO, Feb. 14.—One of the fastest, most spectacular and hardest-fought polo games ever staged on any field was served up to patrons of Coronado polo this afternoon when Capt. Malcom Stevenson's White team won from Capt. Earle W. Hopping's Red four by a score of 8½ to 7. The game was filled with thrills, first one team and then the other having a bare half point advantage, but in the end stellar work of Capt. Stevenson prevailed and victory perched on the White banner.

The polo players now at Coronado are at the top of their form and their mounts are in perfect condition. But Malcolm Stevenson is in better condition than Cheever Cowdin and that fact decided victory. Cowdin played stellar polo in the earlier periods and more than held Stevenson even, but he tired towards the close and the Rockaway Hunt star showed brilliant polo with two goals each in the sixth and seventh periods.

The game was witnessed by a large attendance despite the rather cold weather. Neustadt played at No. 2 for the Whites in the first period, which closed without a score. C. Perry Beadleston then took Neustadt's place for three chukkurs, the Midwick player coming back for the final four periods. The Reds took the lead in the second chukkur when Weiss goaled and a foul was called against Fleischmann. Hopping for the Reds, goaled in the third and Stevenson made two counts for the Whites. Weiss and Cowdin for the Red and Beadleston for the White counted in the fourth and half time found the Red leading, 4 to 2½.

The White four recovered some of the lost vantage in the fifth period when Weatherwax and Neustadt goaled while the total of the opposition was a lone goal by Hopping. The sixth period saw the Whites go into the lead when Stevenson twice goaled to one by Hopping. The White leader again scored twice in the seventh. Weiss's one goal in the final chukkur was the last score of the game.

Stevenson starred with a total of six goals of the nine made by his team.

FLYNN KILLS THE GOOSE THAT LAID GOLDEN EGGS.

BY LEEPSON BOWNES.

TALK about killing the goose that laid the golden egg—old Jim Flynn furnished a modern version of that parable Tuesday night when he scored a knockout over Jack Dempsey at Murray, a suburb of Salt Lake City. Jim walked to the center of the ring when the gong sounded for the first round, and when Dempsey stuck out his hand to shake Flynn grabbed it, pulled it down and swung with all his might with his left. The blow lit squarely on the point of Dempsey's jaw and he hit the floor with a terrific thud. Ten seconds later Flynn had won the bout on a knockout and had, in addition, knocked the fight game out of Utah.

Following the affair, petitions were circulated throughout Salt Lake City to persuade the Legislature, now in session, to bar all professional boxing matches. The bout was termed the worst prize-fight fiasco in the history of the State.

Regardless of Flynn's right to hit Dempsey when he did, the affair hardly redounds to the fireman's credit. Victories of this type do not add to popularity of the fight game, and anyone perpetrating such an affair should be promptly barred from the rings of all other States.

For Flynn, a man who owes everything he has in the world to the fight game, to act as its executioner in one of the few States where the game is still alive is hardly an addition to his reputation. The truth of the matter is that Flynn probably is through as a fighter and took advantage of this trick to win, regardless of the effect on the game which has given him his living for many years.

HOCKEY TEAMS MEET FOR TITLE.

Two undefeated ice hockey teams meet tonight at the Ice Palace for the Southern California championship title. L.A.A.C. vs. Canadians will be the order of events and the fastest exhibition staged so far in the south should be the result. Both squads are in excellent shape and both are confident of getting the honors.

Mason is expected to do deadly work for the Mercurymen and this team has a little bit the best of the argument on this account. Three periods will be run off, probably of fifteen minutes each.

After the ice hockey championship.

The crack L.A.A.C. team that is scheduled to give the Canadian outfit the time of its life at the Ice Palace tonight. This game will determine the ice hockey championship of Southern California. From left to right, are Runkle, Servica, Patterson, Manson, Corrigan, Theberg (mgr.,) Audet, Owens and Stone. Below are Corrigan, goal, and Owens, point.

At Last.

DARCY MATCHED WITH GIBBONS.

Articles are Signed and Everything is Set.

Australian may Have Trouble Making Weight.

Gibbons Selected to Outbox Stocky Slugger.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Les Darcy, mysterious middleweight champion of the Antipodes, and Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul phantom, were signed up tonight for a ten-round battle to be held April 10 in Milwaukee.

The articles were signed by E. T. O'Sullivan for Darcy and by Eddie Kane for Gibbons. They call for a purse of $50,000 to be divided equally between the two boxers, regardless of the outcome of the scrap.

GREAT SPORT.

Pursuing these two young men with the idea of matching them up has been the most popular indoor sport of the winter months, but both were shy about wielding the Waterman until all the bids were in. The men at all times signified their willingness to do battle, but wanted to hear the tinkling of the yellow metal before committing themselves.

The weight agreed upon is 160 pounds, easy enough for Gibbons and generally regarded as not so easy for the Australian. Experts who have watched the invader in his work believe that he weighs close to 170 pounds now and will have considerable difficulty taking off the difference.

WILD JOY.

Darcy, on the other hand, claims to weigh 166 or less and thinks that he can make 158 if necessary, but hopes that it won't be. The matching of the two, generally regarded as the two best middleweights of the day, will be hailed with wild joy by the fight nuts who have been aching to see the two in action.

The general opinion seems to be that Gibbons will outbox the stocky slugger from Sydney. The St. Paul boy is one of the shiftiest men of his weight that ever drew on a glove and is at his very best at ten rounds. Darcy, on the other hand, is strictly a mixer and has done practically all of his fighting over the twenty-round route. Hence the opinion that Gibbons will win.

STARTED WORK.

Darcy completed his footlight fling three or four days ago and has already started hard work for his first American appearance when he is to meet Al McCoy, the near champion, who holds a knockout decision over George Chip. Al is awkward and figures to give Darcy a run for his money. Darcy will try to sandwich in a few more bouts before meeting Gibbons.

NOT TO ALTER WORLD SERIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The national commission was to have held a session here today, but it will not meet until tomorrow morning. The American League's scheduled meeting also will be held here tomorrow, but it was announced today that there would be no session of the joint rules committee and the pennant race of 1917 therefore will be decided under the rules which governed the struggle last season.

The National League board of directors was increased from five to eight members, the president of each club becoming a director. No player in the league can be released between August 20 and the close of the championship season except through the regular formality of the waiver rule.

Tennis.

CLIFF HERD IS STILL WINNING.

TAKES A DOUBLES MATCH IN SPEEDY STYLE.

Fails to Play in Singles, Match Holding Over Until Today—Four Others Reach Last Round Before Semi-finals—Man Uses Volleys and Overhead Smashes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Four of the competitors in the national indoor tennis championship singles won places in the round before the semi-final today. They were A. H. Man, Jr., former Yale championship holder; S. Howard Voshell, Count Otto Salm of Austria and Charles Chambers, the King's Country Tennis Club veteran.

Man used volleys and finally overhead drives to defeat Samuel Robert McAllister, former Maryland star, at 6-3, 6-4.

In the doubles Man paired with Clifton B. Herd, the Californian. The use of fast shots at close range permitted them to make short work of the Columbia University pair, C. P. Goodhue and Anton von Bernuth, to win at 6-1, 6-3.

The important scores of the day follow.

Singles, third round—A. H. Man, Jr. (West Side Tennis Club) defeated S. R. McAllister, 6-3, 6-4; Count Otto Salm (Austria) defeated M. T. Ackerland (New York,) 6-2, 0-6, 6-2.

Doubles, second round—P. L. Taylor and R. C. Doggett (Brooklyn) defeated C. A. Sparks and H. O'Gorman (New York and California;) A. H. Man, Jr., and Clifton Herd defeated C. P. Goodhue and Anton von Bernuth (Columbia University,) 6-1, 6-3.

REFEREE BEATEN UP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 14.—Charles Metrie of Milwaukee was given a decision over Otto Wallace of this city at the end of their fifteen-round bout here tonight. They are lightweights. The decision did not prove to the liking of Wallace, and the referee, Billy McCarney, was knocked down in a mix-up in which the fighter and a second figured.

Friends Again.

STRIKE CALLED OFF BY FULTZ.

National League Comes to Peaceful Agreement.

Ban Johnson Inclined to Shake Fist.

McGraw Appears in Entirely New Role.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—There will be no strike of baseball players this year. This ending of a long controversy was assured when President David L. Fultz of the Baseball Players' Fraternity issued the following statement here today:

"Owing to the unfair position in which the major league owners have been placed in the present baseball controversy between owners and players, the fraternity has submitted to the owners the following proposal:

"'To release all players from their pledges not to sign contracts upon the understanding that the owners will not discriminate against fraternity players nor discipline them for their loyalty to the fraternity in observing their pledges.'"

Early in the day Manager McGraw of the New York Nationals and President Fultz held a conference at which the fraternity executive said that if he was assured that the members of the players' fraternity would not be discriminated against financially or otherwise by the major league club owners, he would release the men from their pledges.

TENER'S WORD.

McGraw immediately went to see President Tener of the National League, and, after the situation had been explained to him, Tener said:

"You can assure Mr. Fultz that I give my word of honor as the president of the National League that the National League will not discriminate in any way against any ball player because of his connection with the fraternity."

Upon receiving this statement from President Tener, McGraw declared to several newspaper representatives: "I feel perfectly justified in announcing that to all intents and purposes the strike is off in so far as it affects the National League."

BAN STANDS PAT.

When President Johnson of the American League arrived here late in the day to attend the annual schedule meeting of the league tomorrow, he was informed of the action taken by President Tener, and in reply to a query as to whether he would give similar assurance he said:

"So far as the fraternity is concerned we give no assurance. All our players look alike to us. About 85 per cent. of them have signed 1917 contracts, and if the men come along to their training quarters, well and good. That is all the assurance that the American League will give."

Chairman Herrmann of the National Commission stated that there was a clause in all the major league contracts for 1917 which protected the players from discrimination on account of membership in the fraternity, and both of the major league presidents also called attention to this fact.

OLD-TIMER THROWN ASIDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 14.—Eddie Hahn, veteran outfielder of the Des Moines Western League Club, today was given his unconditional release by Owner Tom Fairweather. Hahn had been with the club since 1912. He was a member of the Chicago American League Club, which won the world's championship in 1906.

Long on Finance.

RAYMOND GOLF TOURNEY HAS MANY MILLIONAIRES.

IF FINANCIAL standing were considered as a golf qualification, then the midwinter tournament which is being played off at the Hotel Raymond golf links this week should be renamed and known as the millionaires' tournament, for the qualifying round presented an array of well-known names that would be difficult to duplicate outside of Dun's and Bradstreet's. Of course, everybody can't win a golf tournament, so the list of notables has simmered down to the principals in the semi-finals, which will be played off today. The two matches will be between Stillman F. Kelley, retired broker of Cambridge, Mass., and Charles I. Aaron of the Aaron Glass Manufacturing Company of Pittsburgh; N. I. Petit, nephew of Maj. J. L. Johnstone, U.S.A. (retired,) and Townsend Horner of Dula-Horner, realty brokers of New York City. Kelley and Horner will play their matches with a 2 handicap each.

The most exciting match of yesterday's play was that between Stillman F. Kelley and R. L. Dula, New York capitalist, Kelley sinking a fifteen-foot putt for a half in the eighteenth and winning his match in the nineteenth, 1 up. Aaron won his match from the senior Dula easily, the score being 7 and 6, while Petit, who is known as the Beau Brummel of the Raymond club, won from Born after a hard-fought game, the score being 1 up at the eighteenth. Born was the winner of the veterans' tournament last season at the Raymond Golf Club. Townsend Horner won his match from W. A. Dawson, president of the Lawton Packing Company, after a remarkable match, the two players keeping together throughout the game, Horner winning in 1 up at the eighteenth. Dawson is a member of the Blue Mound Country Club of Milwaukee and was the runner-up in the spring tournament at the Raymond Hotel last year.

RENO SUPPORTS SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RENO, Feb. 14.—The Reno Commercial Club and Reno Automobile Trade Association announced jointly today that steps had been taken to support San Francisco for the next national automobile show, in opposition to the claims of Los Angeles. President Ateinheimmer of the Automobile Association stated the action had been taken because of the conviction that holding of the show at San Francisco would be of direct benefit to Reno, and that only the southern portion of Nevada could derive advantage from the staging of the affair at Los Angeles.

It is believed here that Las Vegas, Goldfield and other cities in the southern end of the State will rally to the support of Los Angeles, and that the efforts of the Renoites to deliver the State to San Francisco will result in a sharp division of Nevadan opinion.

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On the Mat.

ROMANOFF TO WRESTLE ITO.

Contest to be Until One of Them Gives Up.

Japanese Expert is Wonder at His Art.

Kervaras and Demetral are Really Training.

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

Constantine Romanoff, the Russian wrestler, was matched yesterday by Promoter Puss Halbriter, to meet Tokugoro Ito, the famous Japanese jiu-jitsu and judo expert.

The match is to permit of every hold allowable in judo and catch-as-catch-can wrestling and a fall will come only when one or the other of the contestants gives up. Pinning the shoulders will mean nothing in this contest, which will be truly to the finish.

The date has not been set, but the contest probably will be held March 3 or 10 at the Shrine Auditorium.

This will be welcome news to the thousands who saw the contest a week ago when Ito forced the powerful Wilhelm Berne to cry for help. Those who saw that match are willing to admit that Ito's science can conquer plain, unadulterated brute strength. But every Caucasian present said at the time that he would have to see Ito against a clever, scientific, quick-thinking wrestler before he would admit the superiority of the oriental art.

And such a person is Romanoff. He is easily the cleverest wrestler who has come to this city with the exception of Frank Gotch. He has forgotten more of the art of wrestling than Strangler Lewis knows. Of course, he lacks Lewis's bull strength and endurance.

If Ito's science can make Romanoff quit, then he is simply wonderful.

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Those two hostile Greeks, Gus Kervaras and Bill Demetral, trained yesterday with all the fury and panting that has accompanied their previous workouts. Each brought an additional Greek wrestler with him.

Kervaras called his friend O'Connor and boasted that the youth could speak five different languages—Greek, English, American, Irish and Canadian. O'Connor was the underdog. Romanoff showed Gus holds and the Greek put them on O'Connor. When the latter wobbled at the knees, Kervaras sent him to the showers and wrestled an hour with Romanoff.

The Greek showed marked improvement yesterday. Once on top of his man, he knew what he intended to do and put Romanoff in some tight places. His blocking is also much better.

Demetral trained again with the amateurs of the club, taking each on for five minutes in rapid succession. He also had his Greek, a chunky 152-pounder, who tore around for five minutes.

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This feud match is going to be one of speed versus strength. Demetral is quick as a cat and Kervaras as strong as an ox. The game of the former will be to trick the latter, catch him unawares and pin him. Kervaras will try and wear his man down, much like Lewis does, trusting in his advantage in weight.

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Kervaras said yesterday that he would probably have to ask for police protection. He claims that four or five persons are flocking in a gang with the sole intention of disabling him before the contest. Tuesday night, according to Gus, they laid for him and nearly caught him.

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The Greeks are taking the match very seriously and are lining up on one wrestler's or the other's side. Their arguments have all the fierceness of a family quarrel.

REDLANDS TO ENTER FAST MEN IN RELAYS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 14.—The swiftest runners that Redlands High can produce will uphold the honor of the school in the big interscholastic relay carnival to be held on Bovard Field in Los Angeles, Saturday. Coach Lutz has been working a squad of about twenty men in the two events, the mile and the half-mile relay and he has high hopes of taking first place in at least one.

Gaston, Selzer, Frost and Gass, all fast 440 men, are to run the mile relay race for Redlands. Selzer is an especially good man for he will also run the half-mile race with Swarthout, Yount and Allen. These teams have been making a big showing against the teams of this section but of course they will go up against some fast teams in the carnival.

Coach Lutz is also working his men hard in preparation for the dual meet to be held in this city a week from Saturday.

CAR GOES UP HIGH MOUNTAIN IN HIGH.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Oakland Tribune cup for fastest time in high gear up Mt. Diablo won by stock model King eight, breaking all previous records by a wide margin. This is the text of a telegram received by the Leach Motor Car Company of this city, local distributors for the King eight, and in speaking of the achievement, Mr. M. A. Leach says, "It is very gratifying to us indeed to know that the King has lived up to its reputation and has broken all records at the Oakland hill climb."

ALHAMBRA TO PLAY SAN DIEGO A GAME.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Feb. 14.—The Alhambra High School basketball team, which won the championship of the Central League, is to play the San Diego High School team on Saturday night for the championship of California. Alhambra has a most remarkable basketball team for the size of the school.

STANFORD AND BEARS MINGLE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 14.—Stanford and the University of California clash for the second time this season when both the rival varsity and freshman basketball teams oppose each other here, tomorrow evening.

The first-year contest, which is to be played as a curtain-raiser to the main event, is doped to be won by the Card babes. By defeating the Palo Alto Athletic Club, 44 to 15, last night, the freshman quintette created a strong belief that they are a formidable collection. Moulton, a former Los Angeles player, and Hood, have shown talent in finding the basket. Together they earned thirty-two points for Stanford last night.

Even the most optimistic fan can do little more than hope for a varsity success. Stanford held the Blue and Gold to a narrow victory last Saturday, but the game was an uninteresting exhibition of closed play.

BOWLING NOTES.

At a meeting of the Los Angeles City Bowling Association held at the Majestic alleys, instead of electing delegates on motion, they were appointed by the chair.

And the following members were appointed by President William Durkin, Jr., to attend the Pacific Coast Bowling Association convention at San Jose February 20 to 25:

Delegates: E. Darrow, T. Shafer, O. Gregg, I. Rawlins, E. Shay, J. Weber, M. Graves, E. Fay, Alfred MacKenzie, J. McCord and G. Ballard. Alternates: King Chapman, H. McEleney, A. Werner, J. Brown, "Pop" Blume, W. Phelps, F. Gilman, O. Christie, H. Carroll, J. Bowes, and J. Brown (Venice.)

Delegates have been instructed to proceed to San Jose and bring the 1918 convention to Los Angeles.

Six five-men teams have been formed to represent Los Angeles in the tournament play, which is held annually during the progress of the convention, and the winners of the five-men, two-men, and individual events are the Pacific Coast champions.

Every crack bowler of Los Angeles, with no exceptions, will be in San Jose to uphold the honor of Los Angeles in the bowling events.

"On to San Jose and the Bacon" is the slogan adopted.

The Boosters' Club is the latest team to enter, and is organized for the purpose of assisting in bringing the 1918 convention to Los Angeles and incidentally annex some of the bowling prizes. The members of the team are Earl Fay, Fred P. Simpson, John Weber, Harry Meek and Alfred MacKenzie.

More than fifty bowlers will attend the meet, which is the largest number that has attended the P.C.B.A. from Los Angeles.

The Boosters' Club have arranged to leave Tuesday afternoon, driving to Bakersfield the first day and bowling a match that evening with the crack team of that city.

The party includes Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fay, Mrs. William Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred MacKenzie, Fred P. Simpson, O. Christie, John Weber, Frank Autan and Harry Meek.

President Andrew Mullen and Fred Simpson are to bowl in the doubles event, and Clarence Turner and Alfred MacKenzie have arranged to play in the two-men affair also.

BLUE JAYS DEFEAT WHITE WINGS AGAIN.

In an excitingly close game of polo, which the onlooking sports pronounced "ripping," the Blue Jays played and downed the White Wings to the score of 9 to 6¾ on the Midwick Country Club's polo grounds yesterday afternoon. A large crowd was present to witness the contest on account of the rivalry which exists between the two teams. The line-up follows: White Wings, Mallaby Macy, Cook and Broucher; Blue Jays, Clark, Spalding, McVitty and Miller.

For the Blue Jays McVitty made six goals, Spalding two, Miller one On the White Wing side, Mallaby made four, Macy two, Cook one.

A penalty of one-fourth goal was charged up to the White Wings on a foul.

DEMAND FOR AUTOS SWAMPS RAILROADS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Indicative of the efforts being put forth by the railroads of the country to relieve the present car shortage is an announcement of T. G. Widmeyre, general agent of the Salt Lake Route, this city.

"The demand for automobiles in Southern California this winter has been so phenomenal," said Mr. Widmeyre, "and the automobile equipment of the western railroads so inadequate to meet the situation that our company recently sent fifty of our flat cars from Los Angeles to a motor company of Flint, Mich.

"These cars were immediately loaded with 150 machines consigned to their Los Angeles agency and, accompanied by a company representative, are being moved as a special train with all possible dispatch to the Far West. This is merely the beginning of a policy of the Salt Lake Route to render every possible assistance to the automobile industry until the regular equipment is again capable of handling their traffic."

TO ROLLER SKATE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

A two-mile championship roller skating race will be staged tonight at the Central-avenue rink, the contestants being Harold Ellis and Harold Schwartlein, eastern stars, and Babe Slaughter and Lawrence La Mar, local champions. This will be a series of two out of three races and is being held under the auspices of the recently organized skatorial association "The Rose City Club," which has leased the Pacific Skating Association rink for Thursdays and Sundays of each week.

STANFORD CO-EDS TO HOLD TRACK MEET.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 14.—Several score co-eds are training for the women's annual field day, which is to take place in April, with a full programme of baseball, basketball, tennis, track events and aquatic sports. Miss Helen Greening of Los Angeles is captain of the day. Estelle Nisson of Santa Ana has been named swimming captain, Ruth Chandler of Los Angeles, captain of field events, and Gladys Taylor of Santa Monica, captain of canoe contests.

Baseball with Mills College, Oakland, and an intercollegiate basketball game for the women's varsity team will be played as the main events of field day.

"Mr. Wad Has a Fine Color-scheme for Reducing!" . . . . By Gal[e]

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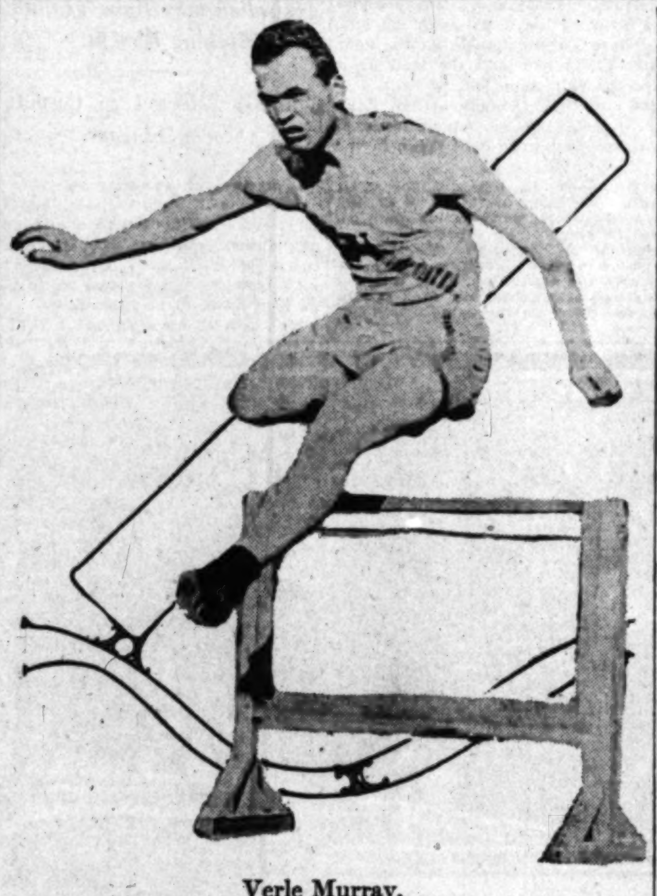


Verle Murray,

Of Whittier, the hurdler who threatens to defeat Fred Kelly in the A.A.U. relays, February 22. The Quaker youth has improved to the point where it takes a record to beat him.

We Hope So.

BILLINGS REPORTED TO HAVE BOUGHT BIG FARM.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, Feb. 14.—A report has been received here from Hemet, eighteen miles south of Beaumont, that the Hemet Stock Farm, owned by the estate of the late W. F. Whittier, is to be purchased by C. K. G. Billings of Chicago, one of the most prominent trotting-horse breeders of the country. It is stated that the sale will include all of the live stock on the farm, transferring Wilbur Lou and many other famous horses to the Billings string.

Mr. Billings has advertised his Curles Neck farm near Richmond, Va., for sale. He recently shipped a number of his record-holding horses to California and now has them at Santa Barbara, where he owns a palatial residence. For some years past it has been known that he was anxious to transfer his interests to California and make his permanent home in this State.

Some of the most noted horses owned by Mr. Billings are Uhlan, 1:58¼, world's champion trotting horse; Lou Dillon, 1:58½, champion trotting mare, and The Harvester, 2:01, until this year champion trotting stallion of the world. Besides these record-holders, the Curles Neck Farm is the home of 200 other thoroughbreds. With the champions of Hemet Stock Farm in Mr. Billings's stable, he would have a string of record holders such as has seldom been equalled.

MICHIGAN ENTERS FOURTEEN IN RELAYS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

URBANA (Ill.) Feb. 14.—Announcement tonight that the University of Michigan would enter a squad of fourteen track men in the western relay carnival at the University of Illinois on March 3 is regarded as not only heightening interest in the meet but also as an important move in the relations between the conference and the Wolverines. The competition of Ann Arbor athletes has the sanction of a majority of the members of the conference faculty board.

The Illinois managers themselves saw no logical reason against the competition, but as a matter of courtesy submitted the matter to the conference with the resulting O. K.

BEE MANAGER'S WIFE SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALT LAKE, Feb. 14.—Mrs. William H. Bernhard, wife of the manager of the Bees, passed away tonight after a somewhat lingering illness. Mrs. Bernhard accompanied her husband here from Memphis shortly after the first of the year, believing that the high altitude might benefit her health, which had become impaired as a result of an operation two years ago.

She suffered a set back while her husband was attending the recent league meeting and failed rapidly. Mr. Bernhard will take the remains to Buffalo, where a daughter was buried some years ago.

STATE ASYLUM NINE DEFEATS STANFORD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 14.—Agnew State Asylum's baseball team completely smothered the Stanford varsity to the tune of 9 to 0 this afternoon. Draper, in the box during the nine innings for the Cards, was at the mercy of the winning batteries, who romped around the diamond throughout the game. Bliss was in the box for Agnew, with Murray and Downey receiving Campbell, and Wilcox caught for Stanford.

JOE WRIGHT TO COACH PENN CREW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—Joe Wright today signed a three-year contract as crew coach of the University of Pennsylvania. Wright, who came here from Toronto, Can., has been coaching without compensation at Pennsylvania for several years. His contract salary was not disclosed.

Has a Family.

SPOILS THE GOSSIP.

Arizona Editor, Applied to by Los Angeles Girl to Help Her Get a Husband, Visits Here, but at Once Declares He Himself is Married Man.

J. B. Flannagan took all the romance out of a possible good story and spoiled the gossip of his friends yesterday when he told them he was an old married man. Arriving at the Hollenbeck, the rumor was at once started that the editor of the Parker Post of Parker, Ariz., was here to capture the heart of Miss Greta Wells.

This young woman wrote him from Los Angeles several weeks ago asking that he find her some eligible bachelors among the prosperous and progressive young miners of his territory. She insisted that city men bored her and that she wanted to get an honest-to-goodness man.

"The Los Angeles 'fellows' are not the marrying kind and have little respect for a good, honest girl that works," she declared.

Mr. Flannagan yesterday admitted that he had helped to get several young men in touch with Miss Wells. "I certainly would have been personally interested had it not been for the fact that I have too fine a family of my own to think of another marriage," he said.

The Arizona editor has been buying machinery for his new newspaper plant, and also looking after some of the interests of the Parker Consolidated Mining Company, of which he is one of the directors.

Interesting Meet.

OXY FRESHMEN BEATEN BY HOLLYWOOD RUNNERS.

BY WARDE FOWLER.

OCCIDENTAL'S freshman track team very nearly distinguished itself yesterday. An assorted collection of these birds toured over to Hollywood and scared Coach McNeely's well-organized Hillmen out of several years' growth. The Tiger youngsters were only ten points to the bad at the end of the affair, and owed nine of these losing tallies to the pole vault. Hollywood won this event by default. The score was 66 to 56.

On account of the condition of the Hollywood track any great amount of speed in the races was impossible. Even at that, some first-class marks were hit and the field events were well above the average.

A young man by the name of Kitts, who is supposed to be a half-miler and miler took a swing at the 440-yard dash for a change and won it. This was the best race of the day and the finish was so close that it looked like anybody to the very last. Louis McKellar, Occidental's main hope, took the pole at the start, and held onto that position until the final turn. He appeared to be well ahead of the field and to have Kitts completely under his thumb. In the last straightaway, however, the Hollywood man opened up and smashed the tape just ahead of McKellar. The time, 54 4-5s., was excellent for that track.

Occidental's long-distance champion, Foster, ran true to form yesterday, and cleaned up on the mile.

All that could be seen of this hero during the first couple of laps was a bright red shirt trotting along near the end of the procession. Foster was very nearly the last man in the string, and he didn't appear to be greatly excited whether he ever reached a better position or not. Cooper was leading, and the Occidental cohorts agreed that he would have to bring home the bacon if any was secured.

Just as the squad was rounding into the last lap, however, the red-shirted youngster suddenly came to life. He gave a jump like he had stepped on a shot of hop and lit out down the track, passing the rest of the field as if it was standing still. Inside of 100 yards he had dished up the whole outfit and was increasing his lead at every step. He won in slow time because of the mildness of the first three laps.

If Foster would start out with a little more zip he should be able to clip thirty seconds from his mark yesterday. He looks like a real comer.

Capt. Manley was the sensation of the field events and carried away the shot and discus without exerting himself. Manley is a big guy about the size of Strangler (Ed) Lewis, and has the makings of a wonderful field athlete. He tossed the discus 112 feet and put the 12-pound shot 43 feet.

Walker of Occidental ran into the only hard luck of the day. He was stepping over the high hurdles right along with the winners when he caught his foot in one of the sticks and fell flat on his face. This practically knocked him out, but he struggled to his feet and made a dash at the next and final hurdle. However, he wasn't quite sure what was going on, and he lit squarely on top of the obstruction. This proved disastrous and a terrible tangle resulted. Finally Walker managed to tear himself loose from the affair, but he had a couple of knees that looked like someone had been sand-papering them for an hour or so.

Later on Walker entered the high jump and took second place after a hard-fought battle with Bryant.

Following are the results:

Half-mile—Smith (O.) first, Mullen (O.) second, Burrell (H.) third; time, 2m. 12 4-5s.

The 100-yard dash—Hayden (H.) first, L. McKellar (O.) second, A. Sentous (H.) third; time, 11 1-5s.

The 120-yard high hurdles—Allen (H.) first, Smith (H.) second, Isenberg (O.) third; time, 18 3-5s.

Discus—Manley (O.) first, Johnson (H.) second, Bryant (H.) third; distance, 112ft.

The 440-yard dash—Kitts (H.) first, McKellar (O.) second, Smith (O.) third; time, 54 4-5s.

The 220-yard dash—Bennett (O.) first, Hayden (H.) second, A. Sentous (H.) third; time, 25s.

Shot-put—Manley (O.) first, Isenberg (O.) second, Reed (H.) third; distance, 42ft. 8in.

The 220-yard low hurdles—Packman (H.) first, Kellar (H.) second, Albright (H.) third; time, 28 4-5s.

Mile—Foster (O.) first, Baker (H.) second, Cooper (O.) third; time, 5m. 6s.

High jump—Bryant (H.) first, Walker (O.) second, Downing (O.) third; height, 5 ft. 6in.

Broad jump—Bryant (H.) first, Smith (O.) second, Lohman (H.) third; distance, 20ft. 8½in.

Javlin—Jackson (H.) first, Isenberg (O.) second, Manley (O.) third; distance, 142ft. 3in.

Pole vault—No entries from Occidental.

Relay—Won by Occidental.

Hurrah!

TOILERS START SEASON BY BEATING CLIFFMEN.

MANUAL ARTS track experts started their season in proper style yesterday by defeating a team from L. A. High, 42 to 31. The Toilers had more competition than they expected, but were not in serious danger at any time. As the meet was one of the first in the schedule, there were no sensational times, and both schools are expecting better marks later on in the year.

The real feature of the affair was the sensational running of Leahy, a dark horse sprinting for L. A. High. This gent showed a burst of speed and copped the 440-yard dash in 55 2-5s. He put up a pretty fair fight in the 220, but only managed to get second place.

Smith took both of the sprints from Manual, negotiating the hundred in 10 3-5s., and the 50 in 5 2-5s. Neale showed considerable class in the high sticks.

Following are the results:

The 50-yard dash—Smith (M.) first, Pillow (L. A.) second, McGary (M.) third; time, 5 3-5s.

The 100-yard dash—Smith (M.) first, Pillow (L. A.) second, Huddleson (L. A.) third; time, 10 3-5s.

The 220-yard dash—Pillow (L. A.) first, Leahy (L. A.) second, McGary (M. A.) third; time, 24 1-5s.

The 440-yard dash—Leahy (L. A.) first, Griffin (M.) second, Wyndon (M.) third; time, 55 2-5s.

Half-mile—Gibson (L. A.) first, Lukins (M.) second, Robertson (M.) third; time, 2m. 17s.

Mmile—Mentle (M.) first, Shattuck (L. A.) second, Stevens (M.) third; time, 5m. 11 4-5s.

The 120-yard high hurdles—Neale (M.) first, Wright (M.) second, Colton (L. A.) third; time, 17 1-5s.

The 220-yard low hurdles—Smith (M.) first, Shaplan (M.) second, Colton (L. A.) third; time, 28 3-5s.

Relay—Won by Manual; time, 3m., 17 4-5s.

BEARS AND CARDS PLAY ICE HOCKEY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 14.—Ice hockey between Stanford and the University of California, scheduled for Friday evening in the Winter Garden Rink, San Francisco, inaugurates a new field of rivalry for the two colleges. In spite of the newness of the ice game in this district, there is a great deal of interest in the coming contest.

The Card team has yet to be defeated. Four of its members, Capt. Upp, Purdy, Collins and Sayre, are Canadians, the first three named hailing from Dawson, Yukon Territory.

SOCCER GAMES WITH CANADA POSTPONED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TORONTO (Ont.) Feb. 14.—Postponement until fall of the international soccer matches between the United States and Canada, to have been played this spring, was announced here today. The action was taken at the request of the Dominion Football Association.

EIGHT TEAMS TIED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Eight of the teams in the six-day bicycle race were tied tonight at the end of the seventieth hour. They had traveled 1291 miles and 5 laps.

Strange.

ONLY MARRIAGE CAN LOOSE HER BONDS.

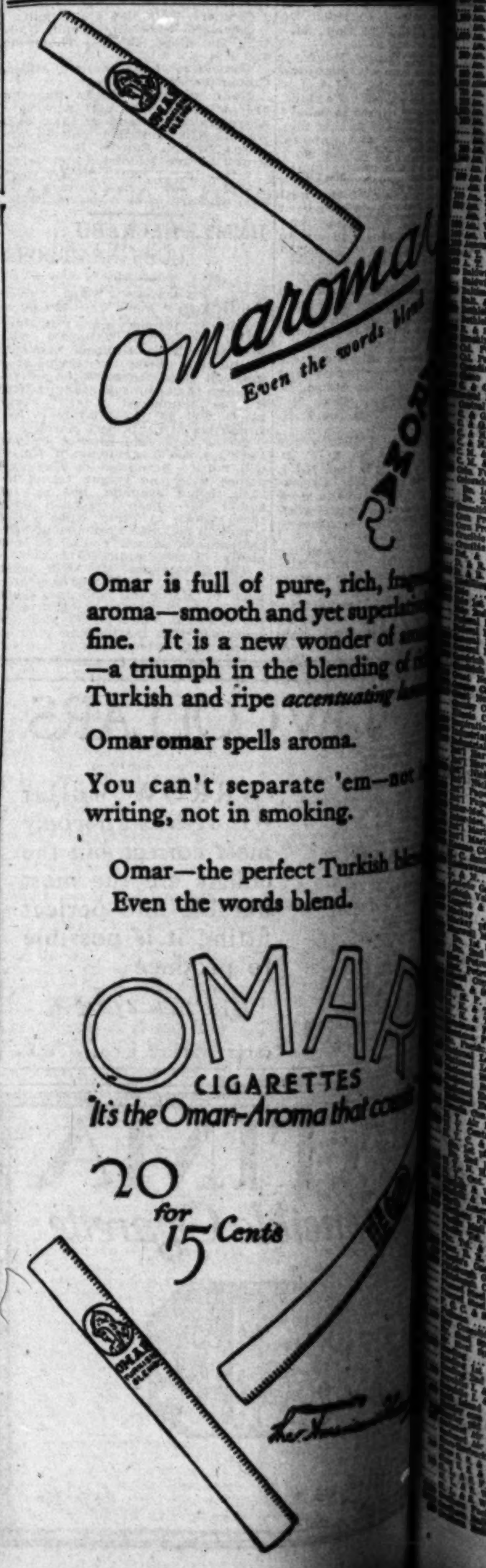
WEE MOVIE GIRL WANTS TO BREAK CONTRACT.

Alleges Stunts Required are Dangerous to Her Life and Agreement Signed by Her Mother is Peculiar—May Invoke Ancient Law of Chancery.

Mary McLaren, under her real name, Mary Ida Macdonald, filed suit yesterday against the Universal Film Manufacturing Company, naming her mother, Lillian Edith Macdonald, a defendant, in an effort to break a contract the terms of which, she declares, give her salary to her mother and enables the corporation to bill her in productions under a variety of names.

Miss McLaren is only 17 years old and, according to the complaint, she takes her life in her hand in thrilling stunts. Attorney Ingle Carpenter says it is a most peculiar contract. She can break it only by marrying, which she is loth to do, or by having the court appointed her guardian until she is of legal age

Miss McLaren is bound to an alleged inadequate salary, she says. Her mother signed the contract in New York, and she did not see it until later. Then she discovered that, while her salary would be $50 a



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Stocks and Bonds.

PROFESSIONALS RULE SUPERFICIAL TRADING.

Total Sales of Three Hundred Thousand Shares Recorded, Total Being Almost the Lightest of Any Full Session this Year—Bonds Irregular, with Anglo-French Fives Making a New Low Price.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Trading on the Stock Exchange today was superficial to the last degree, sales of 300,000 shares being the lightest of any full session this year, and the smallest, with one or two exceptions, since the middle of last year. Operations were confined to a few groups of professional traders, that element reversing its recent optimism of the previous session to the extent of renewing commitments on the short side. The only noteworthy or unusual feature was the relative activity of Central Leather, dealings in that stock at an extreme advance of 2¾ points overtopping the turnover in United States Steel, which invariably leads the list. Recent developments, particularly the situation in Cuba, found direct reflection in the course of sugar issues, Cuban American Sugar making an extreme decline of 6 points, while South Porto Rico, which may derive benefits from the disturbances in Cuba, made an extreme gain of 4. United States Steel ranged between 105⅞ and 105¾, closing at 105⅜, a net loss of 1 point. Rails were under steady restraint, probably in consequence of the weakness of New Haven, which recorded the lowest price in its history at 37½, to the accompaniment of familiar rumors respecting the future of that property. Bonds were irregular, Anglo-French making a new low price at 93 before recovering, while [illegible] gained a point. Total sales, par value, $2,460,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total, February 14, 1917...... $ 2,497,000

Same day of week last year..........	3,310,000
From January 1 to date..........	143,488,000
Same period in 1916..........	158,425,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, February 14, 1917..	290,116 shares
Same day of week last year.....	588,165 shares
From January 1 to date..........	25,361,067 shares
Same period in 1916..........	21,201,345 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Foreign Exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75⅜	4.76 7-16
Paris	5.88	5.88¾
Berlin	67.75	67.87½
Austria	10.98	11.00
Hongkong	57.00	57.10
Peking	92.00	92.12½
Shanghai	87.00	87.12½
Holland	40.62½	40.68¾
Bombay	32.25	32.37½
Calcutta	32.25	32.37½
Italy	7.29½	7.28½
Kobe	50.75	50.87½
Yokohama	50.75	50.87½
Manila	50.12½	50.25
Russia	28.60	28.70
Copenhagen	27.35	27.40
Stockholm	29.40	29.50
Christiania	28.00	28.10

MERCANTILE PAPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Mercantile paper, 4; sterling sixty-day bills, 4.72¼; commercial sixty-day bills, on banks, 4.72¼; commercial sixty-day bills, 4.72; demand, 4.75¼; cables, 4.76 7-16; bar silver, 78⅝; Mexican dollars, 60⅞; government and railroad bonds, irregular; time loans firm; sixty days, 4; ninety days, 4; six months, 4@4¼; call money firm, high, 2½; low, 2; ruling rate, 2¼; last loan, 2¼; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼.

LONDON MONEY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Bar silver, 38¼d per ounce; money, 4¾ per cent.

MEXICAN DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Mexican dollars, 60.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Following are the closing and high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stock.	High.	Low.	Bid.
	[illegible]	7½	7⅛	7¼
	[illegible] Coast Line..	111⅝	110	110⅝
	[illegible]	....	....	23⅝
	[illegible] pfd..	81	80	81
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1,700	Studebaker com	103⅞	102¼	102⅝
100	Studebaker pfd	107¼	107¼	105
......	Third Avenue Ry.	....	....	37¼
600	Tenn. Copper	15⅝	15⅜	15
2,300	Texas Oil	217⅞	215	214⅛
100	Texas Pacific	16	16	16
500	Tobacco Products	53⅝	53	52⅞
......	Tobacco Products pfd.	....	....	98⅞
......	Twin City R. T.	....	....	93
......	Union Bag & P. Co.	....	....	12
6,000	Union Pacific	138⅜	137⅞	137⅝
......	Union Pacific pfd.	....	....	82
2,100	Utah Copper	107⅞	106⅞	106⅝
900	United Cigar S. com..	99	98⅞	98
......	United Cigar S. pfd..	....	....	115
700	United R. R. of S. F..	9⅛	8⅝	9
500	U. R. R. of S. F. pfd..	20⅛	20⅜	20
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LOS ANGELES CURB MARKET.

Closing prices and sales on the Los Angeles Curb as furnished by W. L. Wilson & Co.:

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NEW YORK OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Anglo	16	16⅜	Prairie Oil.	585	595
Atlan. Ref.	990	1010	Prairie P..	305	310
Borne S...	450	480	Solar Refg.	350	365
Buckeye ..	102	106	Sou. Pipe.	195	205
C'brough ..	400	450	S. P. Oil.	325	340
Colonial	50	70	S.W. P. P.	110	120
Continental.	580	600	S. O. Cal..	400	404
Crescent ..	37	40	S. O. Ind..	845	855
Cum'land ..	120	125	S. O. Kan..	535	550
Eureka ..	205	215	S. O. Ky..	690	710
Galena ..	160	163	S. O. Neb..	550	600
Do. pfd..	138	143	S. O. N. J..	680	690
Ill. Pipe..	233	238	S. O. N. Y..	280	290
Ind. Pipe..	98	102	S. O. Ohio.	455	500
Nat. Tran..	18	20	Swan & F..	110	120
N. Y. Tran.	215	225	Un. Tank.	89	91
Nor. Pipe.	100	107	Vacuum ..	405	410
Ohio Oil...	380	387	Wash'ton ..	30	40
Pierce Oil..	12	13			

CLOSING QUOTATIONS ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations on the Chicago Stock Exchange:

	Close.
Booth Fisheries pfd.	85
Chicago City & Connecting Railways pfd...	29⅝
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	67
Chicago Railways, Series 2.	19
Cudahy Company	112
Commonwealth Edison	135⅝
Hart, Schaffner & Marx	84
Lindsay Light	19
National Carbon	308
Prestolite	120
Public Service	107½
People's Gas	91
Quaker Oats	325
Quaker Oats pfd.	114
Sears-Roebuck	222½
Stewart-Warner	84⅝
Swift & Co.	136
Union Carbide	193
United Paper Board	29½
Wilson	61

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Feb. 14.—Turpentine, firm, 49; sales, none; receipts, 60; shipments, 446; stocks, 14,948. Rosin firm; sales, 653; receipts, 183; shipments, 315; stocks, 79,210. Quotations, A, B, C, D, E, F, G, 6.00; H, I, K, M, 6.20; N, 6.40; WG, 6.60; WW, 6.80.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 15, 1917.

Bank clearings yesterday were $8,407,907.68, an increase of $2,544,452.82, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Monday—Holiday.			
Tuesday	$5,821,137.55	$5,963,454.86	$4,325,542.10
Wed'day	8,407,907.68	5,863,454.86	4,325,542.10

Uninteresting.

NO FEATURES ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.

FAIR TRADING IN OIL AND MINING ISSUES.

Union Again Declines—Lower Prices Paid for Associated. Little Change in Metals List. Big Jim and Adams Recede. Yellow Pine Declares Dividend.

Activity on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday was practically featureless. The oil and mining shares came in for a fair amount of attention on the part of the public, but prices had a tendency to soften. After opening at 128.75, Union Oil began to decline, and with each sale the quotation dropped until at the close transactions were recorded at 125.50. Most of the trading in this stock seems to be on the part of brokers and a certain clique who have been manipulating the security for the greatest possible profit to themselves. For the last two weeks there has hardly a day gone by that Union did not go up or down by fits and starts, and the market for the stock during that time did not appear to be a natural one. Associated was off a quarter, but General Petroleum advanced to 70.00, while there was a stronger call for Mascot.

The metals group was about the same as the day before. Some weakness was evidenced in the Oatman list, Big Jim receding to 1.21½ at the close, and Adams slumping to .16. Arizona Ray continued to bring the firm price of .10, and there was a broader inquiry for Yellow Pine. According to the Oatman Bureau of Mines, work has been resumed on the property of the Gilt Edge Mining Company. The stock reacted to this announcement Wednesday, and sold up to .01½.

The Yellow Pine Mining Company has declared a regular monthly dividend of 3 cents a share, payable February 28, to all stockholders of record on the 15th inst.

LOCAL CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Sav. & Com. Bank.....	....	$130.00
Citizens National	$262.50	268.00
Commercial National	....	190.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	305.00	320.00
First National	650.00	675.00
German-American Tr. & Sav.	360.00	....
Hellman Com. Tr. & Sav....	185.00	....
Home Sav. Bank of L. A....	140.00	145.00
Hibernian Sav. Bank.........	120.00	....
Merchants' National	200.00	....
National Bank of Cal.......	200.00	225.00
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BOND LIST. (With Accrued Interest.)

[illegible]

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

[illegible]

MINING LIST.

[illegible]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 70.50	....
Associated Oil	70.87½	$ 71.25
Central	.72½	.85
Columbia	1.05	1.25
Enos Oil Co.................	.08¾	.10
General Petroleum	68.75	70.25
Globe	.02	.03
Mascot Oil Co...............	....	1.45
Midway Northern	.11	.17
National Pacific Oil Co.....	.03	.03¼
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co......	.20	....
Olinda Land Co. (Oil).....	.25	.28
Rice Ranch Oil Co........	....	1.48
Traders' Oil Co...........	....	71.00
Union	124.62½	125.75
United Petroleum	124.50	....
United Oil Co..............	.22	.23½
West Coast Oil pfd.........	120.00	....
Western Union	88.00	89.00

SALES.

Morning session: 1000 Adams Mining at .19; 1000 do. at .18½; 1000 do. at .18; 100 Big Jim Gold at 1.24; 500 Boundary Cone at .21; 2000 Carter Gold, buyer 30 days, at .05½; 1000 do. at .05; 1000 Gilt Edge at .01⅝; 500 do. at .01½; 1000 do. at .01½; 10 General Petroleum at 69.75; 5 Home Telephone com. at 58.50; 1000 Ivanhoe Con. at .04½; 400 L. A. Investment at .69½; 200 Mascot Oil at 1.45; 10 Union Oil at 128.25; 45 do. at 128.00; 20 do. at 127.50; 10 do. at 127.25; 10 do. at 127.12½; 10 do. at 126.50; 1000 United Oil at .22½; 1000 United Western at .03; 100 Yellow Pine at 1.49½; 50 do. at 1.50.

Informal: 10 Amalgamated Oil at 80.00; 20 Associated Oil at 71.00; 1000 Oro Amigo at .30; 200 Tom Reed at 1.90; 200 United Eastern at 4.25.

Afternoon session: 1000 Adams Mining at .17; 1000 do. at .16⅝; 2000 do. at .16; 1000 Arizona Ray Copper at .10; 20 Associated Oil at 71.00; 1200 Big Jim Gold at 1.21; 200 do. at 1.23; 200 do. at 1.22; 100 do. at 1.21½; 2850 Carter Gold at .05; 1000 Gold Range at .01½; 20 General Petroleum at 70.00; 70 Union Oil at 126.00; 20 do. at 125.75; 10 do. at 125.50; 100 United Eastern at 4.25.

Informal: 1400 Big Jim Gold at 1.21; 20 Union Oil at 125.75; 100 United Eastern at 4.25; 1 $1000 Union Transportation Bond at .98⅝.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Evaporated apples, dull; prunes, quiet but firm; apricots and peaches, firm; raisins, quiet.

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STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Following are today's quotations on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange:

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NEVADA MINE STOCKS; SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Following are sales and range of prices:

Sales.	Stock.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
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1,000	Gipsy Q...	.08	.08	.08	.07
......	Jim Butler	....	....	.78	.81
4,000	Midway ..	.20	.20	.19	.21
10,000	M. P. Ex.	.11	.10	.10	.11
......	Montana .	....	....	.23	....
......	Mis. Ex. .	....	....	.14	.15
......	McNam. .	....	....	.08	.09
......	N. Star .	....	....	.14	.15
10,200	Rescue E.	.27	.25	.27	.28
200	Ton. of N.	6.25	6.25	6.12½	6.37½
300	Ton. Ex..	4.45	4.40	4.35	4.37½
......	Umatilla .	....	....	.02	....
800	West End.	.70	.65	.68	.70
	Miscellaneous—				
......	Nev. Hills.	....	....	.22	.24
......	Round Mt.	....	....	.41	.44

RAW AND REFINED SUGAR QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Raw sugar nominal; centrifugal, 5.02; molasses, 4.15; refined firm, 25 points higher; cut loaf, 8.15; crushed, 8.00; mold A, 7.50; cubes, 7.50; XXXX powdered, 7.15; powdered, 7.10; fine granulated, 7.00; Diamond A, 7.00; confectioners' A, 6.90; No. 1, 6.85.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option—	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
February	4.60	4.52	4.59	4.70
March	4.59	4.45	4.54	4.55
April	4.50	4.37	4.47	4.49
May	4.50	4.35	4.45	4.46
June	4.45	4.45	4.45	4.46
July	4.50	4.38	4.47	4.48
August	....	....	4.47	4.48
September	4.48	4.40	4.48	4.49
October	4.34	4.20	4.31	4.33
November	4.15	4.10	4.20	4.24
December	....	....	4.16	4.20

MINING QUOTATIONS IN SALT LAKE CITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALT LAKE, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations:

	Close.		Close.
Antelope Star..	.14½	Original Bannack	.34
Alta Con....	.23½	Prince Con....	1.25
Bullion	.10	Paloma	.12
Bannack Gold..	1.00	Rico Arg.	.08½
Colorado Con...	.16	Reed's Peak....	.08½
Daly	1.00	Rico Well......	.18
Dragon	.34½	Sells	.26½
Empire Copper.	2.05	Silver King Coal.	3.20
Grand Central.	.60	Silver King Con.	4.07½
Iron Blossom...	1.25	South Hecla...	1.32½
Keystone	.67	Silver Shield...	.27
Mammoth	.62	Tintic Standard.	1.27½
Mason Valley..	8.00	West Toledo...	.07½
Michigan Utah.	.25	Walker	1.90
New Quincy....	.11		

Grain.

WHEAT DEPRESSED BY RAIL CONDITION

CHANCE OF WIDER BREACH WITH BERLIN ALSO FACTOR.

Forty Million Bushels Estimated as Being Tied up in Elevators and on Sidetracks, Vainly Awaiting Shipment—Rain and Snow in the Southwest.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Demoralized traffic conditions and the chances of a wider breach between Germany and the United States had a depressing effect today on the wheat market. Prices closed heavy, 1⅛@2¼ net lower, with May at 1.71⅜@1.71⅝, and July 1.47⅛@1.47⅜. Corn finished ⅝@⅞ to 1 down; oats ⅛ off to a shade advance, and provisions up 5 to 17½@20. Notices of fresh embargoes on important railroads sharpened the attention of wheat traders to the consequent huge aggregate of cereals tied up in elevators and on sidetracks here, vainly awaiting shipment. One estimate put the total at 40,000,000 bushels, not counting country elevators, owing to a lack of available railway cars and locomotives. Rain and snow in the Southwest, where moisture has been below normal, put a handicap on wheat bulls, and it was not until nearly 4 cents had been clipped from prices that the market showed any notable power to rally. Corn, like wheat, was weakened by the paralysis of railway facilities. Scantiness of offerings rather than activity of demand steadied the oats market. Reports that the Belgian Relief Commission had ordered 20,000,000 pounds of meats helped to lift provisions.

CLOSING FIGURES.

Wheat, May, 1.71⅝; July, 1.47⅛. Corn, May, 1.00⅝; July, 99⅛. Oats, May, 55⅞; July, 54⅝. Pork, May, 30.00; July, 29.40. Lard, May, 16.77; July, 16.90. Ribs, May, 15.82; July, 15.92.

CASH SALES.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, 1.01@1.01¼; No. 4 yellow, 98@1.00; No. 4 white, 98. Rye, No. 2, nominal. Barley, 1.00@1.30. Timothy, 3.50@5.50. Clover, 12.00@18.00.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
Wheat—				
May 1.72½	1.73⅛	1.70¼	1.71⅝	.....
July 1.47⅝	1.47⅝	1.46⅜	1.47⅛	.....
Sept. 1.37	1.38	1.36⅜	1.37½	.....
Corn—				
May 1.01⅜	1.01½	1.00¼	1.00⅝	.....
July ...... .99⅜	.99⅜	.98⅜	.99⅛	.....
Oats—				
May ...... .55⅝	.56	.55¼	.55⅞	.....
July ...... .54⅜	.54⅝	.53⅞	.54⅝	.....
Pork—				
July 29.15	29.40	29.12	29.40	.....
May 29.95	30.05	29.65	.....	30.00
Lard—				
July 16.72	16.92	16.67	16.90	.....
May 16.60	16.77	16.52	.....	16.77
Ribs—				
July 15.70	15.92	15.90	.....	15.92
May 15.70	15.82	15.62	.....	15.82

PORTLAND MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 14.—Wheat, firm, no trading; spot bids, unchanged to 1 higher; bluestem, 1.55½; fortyfold, 1.52; club, 1.51; Red Russian, 1.48.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Wheat, firm, no trading; barley, May, 2.20 bid, 2.30 asked; December, 1.67½. Afternoon session: Barley, May, 2.20 bid, 2.27½ asked; December, 1.67 bid; 1.68 asked.

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Wheat, spot irregular; corn, spot easy; oats, spot steady.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

These quotations are in car lots unless otherwise specified.

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 Sonora milling wheat	....	$2.92½
Portland standard oats	....	2.20
California feed oats	....	2.15
No. 1 bright feed barley	2.25	2.28¾
No. 1 dark feed barley	....	2.27½
No. 2 yellow corn, bulk	....	2.22
No. 3 yellow corn, bulk	....	2.20
No. 3 white corn, bulk	....	2.20
Sample Egyptian corn	....	2.25
Milo maize, local..	2.10	2.15
Local white bran..	....	37.00
Northern shorts..	....	35.50
Northern bran	....	33.50
Montana bran	....	34.50
Northern mill run.	....	35.50
Montana mill run..	....	35.00
Oats middlings ...	....	34.00
Cocoanut meal	....	32.00
Cottonseed meal ...	....	41.00

FUTURES.

Commodity, 100-ton lots.

	Bid.	Asked.
Barley—		
First half March..	$2.25	....
Second half March.	2.25	$2.30
Milo maize—		
February	2.07½	....
March	2.10	2.20
Egyptian corn—		
March	....	2.27½

FLAXSEED MARKET IN THE NORTHWEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 14.—Flax buyers found only a light supply of seed at hand, and as most of it was good there was no lack of demand to complain of. No. 1 seed on spot and to arrive sold at 3 over to 3 under Duluth May price. Receipts, 26 cars; shipments, 3 cars; oil shipments, 414,020 pounds; oilmeal and cake, 1,059,379 pounds.

At Duluth May flax opened 2.83¾; high, 2.83¾; low, 2.78¼; close, Wednesday, 2.81; Tuesday, 2.83¾; year ago, 2.36. July opened 2.84¼; high, 2.84½; low, 2.79½; close, Wednesday, 2.81¾; Tuesday, 2.84¾; year ago, 2.36¼.

LIVE-STOCK MARKET AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 14.—Hogs, steady; receipts 153; bulk of packing grades, 11.75@12.10; heavy packing, 12.10@12.35; light packing, 11.75@12.10; rough heavies, 10.50@11.00; pigs and skips, 10.40@11.10; stock hogs, 9.75@10.25. Cattle, steady; receipts 16; steers, prime light, 9.00@9.25; prime heavy, 9.00@9.25; good, 8.40@8.80; cows, choice, 7.50@7.75; medium to good, 7.00@7.25; ordinary to fair, 6.00@6.75; heifers, 4.00@8.00; bulls, 3.50@6.00; calves, 6.00@9.00. Sheep, steady, receipts 1107; lambs, east of mountains, 12.50@12.55; lambs, valley, 12.00@12.25; lambs, good, 11.25@11.75; choice yearling wethers, 10.00@10.50; good yearlings, 9.75@10.00; choice ewes, 9.25@9.75; heavy ewes, 8.75@9.25.

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 14.—Cattle, receipts 6000; steady to 10 lower; prime fed steers, 11.25@11.85; dressed beef steers, 9.00@11.00; western steers, 8.00@11.20; heifers, 7.00@11.00; stockers and feeders, 7.00@10.65; bulls, 6.50@9.00; calves, 7.00@13.25.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Hogs, receipts 43,000, firm, 10 above yesterday's average; bulk, 12.25@12.50; light, 11.65@12.40; mixed, 12.10@12.50; heavy, 12.05@12.55; rough, 12.05@12.20; pigs, 9.50@10.80. Cattle, receipts 15,000, firm; native beef cattle, 7.85@12.15; western steers, 7.85@10.25; stockers and feeders, 6.10@9.15; cows and heifers, 5.20@10.40; calves, 10.00@14.25. Sheep, receipts 15,000, strong; wethers, 10.85@12.00; lambs, 12.35@14.90.

RANGE OF STOCK PRICES IN BOSTON.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Following are closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ahmeek ...	99	100	Mass. Gas..	88	90
Adventure .	3	3¼	Do. pfd..	78	79
Atlanta ...	12	13	Majestic ..	72	75
Allouez ...	62	65	Mayflower ..	2½	3
[remainder of table illegible]					

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
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Jumbo Ext.	27	29	Triangle	..	..
Jer. Ver.	1⅝	1⅞	Tor. Heat	..	..
Kewanos ..	16	17	U. S. Light.	3	..
Kerr Lake.	4½	4⅝	Do. pfd..	3	..
La Rose...	..	..	Un. East..	4¼	4⅜
Magma ...	56	51	Un. V. Ext.	35	35⅜
Mines Am.	1⅝	1½	Utah Notes.	95¼	96
Marconi	2½	2¾	W. Pac. 5s.	89	90
Mason Val.	5½	5¾	West. End..	68	72
McK. Dar.	55	60	World Film.	..	..
Mont. Ton.	23	26	Aetna	5¾	5⅞
Mizpah Ext.	14	15	Atlas	164	168
Man Tran.	½	⅝	Dupont ...	250	253
Midvale ...	54	54½	Hercules ..	275	285

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Following are closing quotations on active bonds today:

	Close.
Adams Express C. T. 4s, 1948..........	79
Alaska Conv. Db. 6 A, 1925..........	79
American Agricultural Chem. Db. 5s, 1924.	100
American Foreign Securities 5s, 1919......	99⅛
American Tel. Co. 4s, 1929	91
American Tel. Col. 5s, W. I., 1946..........	100⅜
American W. Paper 5s, 1919..........	98⅜
Anglo-French 5s, 1920	93⅝
Armour 4½s, 1939	94
Atchison General 4s, 1995	93½
Atchison Adj. 4s, Stamped, 1995..........	85
Atlantic Coast Line 4s, 1952..........	89
Baltimore & Ohio P. L. 3½s, 1925..........	92⅝
Baltimore & Ohio Ref. 5s, 1995..........	99⅝
Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s, 1933..........	95⅝
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3½s, 1925..........	91
Bethlehem Steel Ref. 5s, 1942..........	100⅛
Braden 6s, 1931	95
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 5s, 1945..........	99⅝
California Gas Unifying 5s, 1937..........	100
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N. Y. Central Con. 4s, 1998..........	81
N. Y. Central Conv. Deb. 6s, 1935..........	88⅛
N. Y., N. H. & H. Con. Deb. 6s, 1948..........	108⅛
Niagara Power 5s, 1932	100
N. O. T. Ex. & Mex. 1st 6s, 1925..........	102
Norfolk Con. 4s, 1996	92⅛
Northern Pacific Prior Lien 4s, 1997..........	92
Northern Pacific General 3s, 2047..........	92⅜
O. R. & N. Con. 4s, 1946	92
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s, 1929..........	93⅛
Pacific Gas 5s, 1942	93
Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s, 1937..........	92
Pennsylvania Con. 4½s, 1960..........	100⅞
Pennsylvania Gen. 4½s, W. I., 1965..........	101¼
People's Gas 5s, 1947	100⅞
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OATMAN STOCKS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

Sales.	Stock.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
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500	Gld. Range	.08	.10	.09	....
......	Cash Entry	....	.12	....	....
......	Gilt Edge .	....	.02	....	....
......	Gold Key .	....	.10	....	....
......	Gold Ore .	....	.28	....	....
1,000	G. R. B. ..	....	.18	.19	....
......	Lazy Boy .	.02	.04	....	....
......	Lucky Boy	.10	....	....	....
......	Midway ..	....	.40	....	....
100	Nellie ...	.17	.20	.18	....
......	Oat. Com.	....	.10	....	....
500	Oat. N. S.	.05	.07	.06	....
......	Times .	....	.06	....	....
......	Utd. East.	....	4.30	....	....
1,300	Utd. West.	.02	.04	.03	....

OIL STOCK PRICES IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Apollo, 5 bid; Caribou, 145 asked; Claremont, 225 bid; Coalinga Central, 10 bid; De Luxe, 27 bid; Empire, 35 bid; Four, 7 bid; Illinois Crude, 5 bid; Kern River, 200 bid; Lucile, 300 bid; Maricopa National, 15 bid; Maricopa No. 36, 125 asked; Mascot, 145 asked; McKittrick, 50 bid; Midway of Oregon, 50 bid; M. J. and M. and M. Cons., 30 asked; National Pacific, 3 bid; New Penn. Pet., 31 asked; Pacific Crude Oil, 16 bid; Palmer Union, 8 bid, 9 asked; Palmer Union pfd., 14 bid, 18 asked; Peerless, 9.00 bid, 10.00 asked; Pinal Dome, 92 bid; Premier, 30 bid; Record, 850 asked; Republic, 11 bid; S. F. and McKittrick, 1600 bid; Section No. 25, 13.00 bid; S. W. and P., 15 bid, 18 asked; Sterling, 1.50 bid; United Oil, 22 bid.

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Fourteen cars navels, one mixed car and two cars lemons sold. Oranges steady. Lemons steady. Weather fair.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Champion, Denman Sons	$2.60
Sealrock, Denman Sons	2.30
Blue Bow, Blue Ribbon Groves	2.80
Red Bow, Blue Ribbon Groves	2.40
Green Bow, Blue Ribbon Groves	2.00
Royalto, Growers F. Co.	2.25
Pickaninny	2.20
Robin	2.45
Constitution, Growers F. Co.	1.95
Orchard, imp, National O. Co.	3.20
Standard, imp, National O. Co.	2.75
Orchard, imp, National O. Co.	3.20
Standard, National O. Co.	2.70
Gold Buckle, imp, R. H. Ex.	3.50
Lochinvar, imp, R. H. Ex.	3.35
Belt, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.95
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	3.45
Lindsay Pride, C. C. Ex.	3.25
Golden Sweets, C. C. Ex.	2.85
Carmencita, S. T. Ex.	2.95
Blue Globe, Riverside Ex.	3.40
Red Shield, imp, A. C. G. Ex.	2.95
Cock of the Walk, S. T. Ex.	3.00
Dream Flower, S. T. Ex.	2.65
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	3.65
Selma, C. C. Ex.	2.30
Ora Flora, C. C. Ex.	2.20
Red C, imp, Covina Ex.	2.75
Camanche, C. C. Ex.	2.35
Solid Gold, C. C. Ex.	2.15
Ibex, S. T. Ex.	2.45
Zebra, C. C. Ex., (Australian)	2.20

TANGERINES—HALVES.

Orchard	$1.75
Blue Seal	1.85

LEMONS.

Golden Sweet	$2.40
Quail	3.20
Squirrel	3.40

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 14.—Five cars sold. Market higher oranges, lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Chinese, fcy, Interstate F. Dis.	$3.10
Telephone, L. M. Ex.	1.95
Dan Patch, S. B. Ex.	2.35
Bloomington Special, S. B. Ex.	2.30
Chinese, ch, Interstate F. Dis.	2.70
Stock Label, T. C. Ex.	2.15
Ivory, S. B. Ex.	2.00
Morning Star, S. B. Ex.	2.05

LEMONS.

Yorba, S. T. Ex.	$3.50
Linda	2.90

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—Three cars sold. Market higher oranges, lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Hawk, S. A. Ex.	$2.10
Camel, Q. C. Ex.	2.40
Homer, Q. C. Ex.	2.45
Family, Q. C. Ex.	2.20

LEMONS.

Pet, S. D. Ex.	$3.45

Cleveland Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Feb. 14.—Steady on oranges; weaker on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Chanticleer, East High, C. A.	$2.95
Golden Rod, East High, C. A.	1.85
Industry, Sugarloaf O. G. A.	1.70
Telephone, L. M. Ex.	2.40
AA, East High, C. A.	2.70
Orchard Queen	1.75

LEMONS.

No. 2, C. C. Ex.	$2.25
No. 5, C. C. Ex.	2.55
No. 8, C. C. Ex.	1.75
Jupiter, American F. Dis.	2.95

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Eleven cars sold. Market is unchanged.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Imperial	$2.30
Bluebird, C. C. Ex.	1.65
Bluebird, C. C. Ex.	1.80
Canna, R. H. Ex.	2.85
Glen, Home, A. C. G. Ex.	2.25
Lily, Q. C. Ex.	2.60
Princess, Q. C. Ex.	2.90
Echo, S. T. Ex.	2.95
Glen, Home, A. C. G. Ex.	3.10
Glen, Home, A. C. G. Ex.	2.25
Yokohol, marked X, C. C. Ex.	1.45
Yokohol, C. C. Ex.	1.60
Cosmos, R. H. Ex.	2.85
Princess, Q. C. Ex.	2.95
Laurel, Q. C. Ex.	3.20
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	3.25
Glen, Alps, A. C. G. Ex.	3.40

LEMONS.

Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	$2.80
Fuschia	2.40

Cincinnati Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CINCINNATI, Feb. 14.—Four cars sold. Market higher oranges, lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Alamo, F. C. Ex.	$2.25
Santa Clara, F. C. Ex.	2.15

LEMONS.

Lemongrove	$2.50
Wonderland, E. C. U.	3.40
Del Diabolo	3.00
Blue Stripe, R. S. Ex.	2.80

St. Louis Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14.—Ten cars sold. Market steady on oranges, lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Banner, Sutherland F. Co.	$2.60
Hesperides, S. D. Ex.	2.30
Red Shield, A. C. G. Ex.	2.65
Ibex, S. T. Ex.	2.60
Lochinvar, R. H. Ex.	2.70
Winsome, R. H. Ex.	2.50
Arrowhead, R. H. Ex.	2.70
Native, Sutherland F. Co.	2.40
Fawn, S. D. Ex.	2.10
Cycle, F. C. Ex.	2.05
Ranchito, S. T. Ex.	2.40
Belt, R. H. Ex.	2.50
Newsboy, R. H. Ex.	2.35
Carrier, R. H. Ex.	2.40

LEMONS.

Quaker Girl, S. T. Ex.	$3.20
Greenleaf	2.85

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges.	Lemons.
February 13	121	19
Total to date this season	6829	1481
Total to same date last season	6128	1573
Total to same date two years ago	5489	988

(No shipments from Central or Northern California on February 12.)

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Cold and unseasonable weather has been holding back the asparagus crop. There have been a few small lots which have found their way into this market during the past ten days, but in such meager quantities that only the highest -class trade could afford to pay the prices demanded for the popular vegetable. Reports from the Imperial Valley and the San Joaquin Valley state that it will be another ten days at least, if not two weeks, before shipments will begin to move with any frequency, and until that time the consumer will have to depend upon the canned article.

Wholesale sugar men of Los Angeles are expected to raise their prices on all grades of the sweet staple 25 cents a hundred pounds today. An advance in the raw sugar market in New York City is the reason given for this action. Unsettled conditions in Cuba have no doubt influenced the sugar trust to endeavor a sensational come back in prices just when everyone was expecting a decline, due to the advent of the new crop in Cuba.

Meat cuts have been given a substantial boost during the last few days. All beef, mutton, veal and pork cuts have been raised 2 to 4 cents a pound. This was caused by the jump in live stock values which featured the provision market of the city last week.

It seems peculiar that the good housewife does not turn to rice in these days of soaring prices. A good grade of rice can be purchased for less than mediocre potatoes, and there is a great deal more nourishment in the oriental food than in any kind of potatoes that was ever grown. Excellent Japan style California rice can be had for $3.70 a hundred pounds, while there are not a hundred pounds of potatoes in the city that can be secured for less than $4.00. Rice only runs 12 per cent. moisture, while potatoes run 80 per cent. moisture. With the water out, there are 88 pounds of solid nutriment in a hundred pounds of rice, whereas there are only twenty pounds in a hundred pounds of potatoes.

According to Secretary Hudson, the receipts consisted of 459 cases of eggs, 49,580 pounds of butter, 3410 pounds of cheese, 1457 sacks of potatoes, 55 sacks of onions, 25 sacks of beans, and 1 sack of sweet potatoes.

HOME BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

EGGS—Fresh extras, 31; case count, 28; pullets, 27½.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 37 per pound; firsts, 35. The selling price to the trade is 4 cents higher than above quotations.

BUTTER AND EGGS; LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14. — Butter, steady; receipts 10,274; creamery, higher than extras, 45½@46; creamery extras (92 score,) 45; firsts, 38¾@44; seconds, 36@38. Eggs, unsettled, receipts 7309; fresh gathered extra firsts, 46; firsts, 45@45½; refrigerator, finest, 42½@43; good to average best, 41@42. Cheese, firm; receipts 4382; State held specials, 25½@26; average fancy, 25@25¼.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14. — Butter, unchanged. Eggs, higher, receipts 3805 cases; firsts, 42; ordinary firsts, 38¼@39; at mark, cases included, 39@40½.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Butter, fresh extra, 35½. Eggs, fresh extras, 32½; pullets, 29½.

THE METAL MARKET; LEAD, COPPER, ETC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14. — These prices were quoted on the Metal Exchange today: Spelter, 10.62½ bid today; 10.62½ bid Tuesday. Quicksilver, 125.00 bid today, 125.00 bid Tuesday. Bar silver, in London, 38¼d, off ⅛d; in New York, 78⅝, off ⅜. Mexican dollars, 60½@63¼.

LEAD AND COPPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The Metal Exchange quotes: Lead, 9.25@9.75. Spelter, quiet, spot East St. Louis delivery, 10⅝. Copper, electrolytic firm, with a good demand reported for the second quarter at quotations ranging from 33.00@34.00; spot and near-by remained nominal in the absence of sellers, while the third quarter quotations ranged between 31.00@32.00. Tin quiet, spot, 52.00@55.00.

COLORADO TUNGSTEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DENVER, Feb. 14.—Colorado concentrates, 60 per cent., 17.00 per unit; crude ores, 60 per cent., 15.00; 25 per cent., 9.40@12.00; 10 per cent., 8.70@10.00 per unit.

Cotton.

MARKET IRREGULAR; TENDENCY UPWARD.

BULLISH CENSUS FIGURES ENCOURAGE BUYING.

Trade is Again Upset by Baseless Rumor of Sinking of Large Ocean Liner—No Change Recorded in the Southern Spot Situation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The cotton market opened irregular today, with an upward tendency. Bullish census figures encouraged a renewal of Tuesday's buying movement, and the market soon turned firmer. The advance of from 4 to 12 points carried prices about 116 points above the low level of last week, and immediately attracted scattered realizing, which indicated a weakening of the technical position. The market closed at the lowest point of the day, with the tone easy, at a net decline of 21 to 29 points. May contracts, which closed at 16.44 on Tuesday, opened at 16.40, sold up to 16.56, and then reacted to 16.20, the final quotation. The trade was again upset by the baseless rumor of the sinking of a large ocean liner, which, as a matter of fact, was lying quietly at her dock in New York Harbor. No change was recorded in the southern spot situation. Private advices reported a good export demand in New Orleans. Canadian and eastern mill interests were said to have been buying spots in the local market recently because of delayed shipments from the South.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
March	16.29	16.41	16.08	16.08	16.09
May	16.40	16.56	16.20	16.20	16.21
July	16.44	16.58	16.25	16.25	16.26
October	16.05	16.10	15.77	15.77	15.78
December	16.18	16.20	15.89	15.89	15.90

Spots—16.80.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14.—The New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 14.44; ordinary, 15.19; good ordinary, 15.69; strict good ordinary, 16.19; low middling, 16.19; strict low middling, 16.94; middling, 17.19; strict middling, 17.38; good middling, 17.56; strict good middling, 17.81; middling fair, 18.18; middling fair to fair, 18.43; fair, 18.68. Sales, 1555 bales, all on hedge basis; to arrive, 500 bales. Tone of market, nominal. Holders refuse to sell at less than quotations.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 14.—Cotton, spot strong; good middling, 11.28; middling, 11.18; low middling, 11.00; sales 8000 bales.

CENSUS FIGURES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. — Cotton consumed in the United States during January amounted to 603,701 running bales, exclusive of linters, and during the six months ending January 31, 3,367,663 bales, the Census Bureau today announced.

Last year during January 542,081 bales were consumer, and in the six months, 3,075,721 bales.

Cotton on hand January 31 in consuming establishments amounted to 2,304,866 bales, compared with 1,974,909 a year ago, and in public storage and at compresses 3,718,600 bales, compared with 4,534,949 a year ago.

Cotton spindles active during January numbered 33,008,609, compared pared with 31,846,658 a year ago.

Imports were 38,463 bales, compared with 57,552 a year ago, and for the six months 109,247 bales, compared with 181,137 a year ago. Exports were 600,673 bales, compared with 539,415 a year ago, and for the six months 3,838,950 compared with 2,961,008 a year ago.

Linters consumed during January amounted to 75,756 bales, compared with 80,941 a year ago, and for the six months 411,040, compared with 445,669 a year ago. Linters on hand January 31 in consuming establishments amounted to 109,558 bales, compared with 119,698 a year ago, and in public storage and at compresses 151,221 bales, compared with 163,766 a year ago. Linters exported during January were 31,644 bales, compared with 5468 a year ago, and for the six months 128,556 bales, compared with 64,662 a year ago.

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14. — Receipts: Flour, 840 quarters; barley, 4155 centals; beans, 2039 sacks; potatoes, 4155 sacks; hay, 90 tons; hides, 1170 in number; wine, 20,650 gallons.

Vegetables: Lettuce, southern, 1.50; peas, southern, fancy, large, 7½; green peppers, Florida, 25@30; celery, 4.00.

SOUTHWESTERN PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL PASO, Feb. 14.—The following Los Angeles officers of the Southwestern Portland Cement Company were re-elected at the annual meeting in El Paso: Carl Leonardt, president; C. C. Merrill, first vice-president, and Frank H. Powell, assistant secretary.

The other officers and directors are: A. Courchesne, El Paso, second vice-president; Charles Boettcher, Denver, third vice-president; James McNary, El Paso, treasurer; O. J. Binford, El Paso, secretary; Whitney Newton, Denver; Robert Krakauer, El Paso, C. A. Fellows and W. E. Keller, Los Angeles, and T. A. Riordan, Flagstaff, Ariz., directors.

The board voted to expend $250,000 for additions to the El Paso plant. The company's million-dollar plant at Victorville, Cal., is very successful and making money.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. Brennan, from San Francisco.
Steamer Vanguard, Capt. Odland, from Eureka via San Francisco.
Steamer Tamalpias, Capt. Hansen, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Bee, Capt. Wehman, from Long Beach.
Steamer Charles Christensen, Capt. Martin, from Willapa.
Steamer Golden Gate, Capt. Bergmark, from Ensenada.
Steamer Marshfield, Capt. Baach, from Albion.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. Brennan, for San Francisco.
Steamer Mukilteo, Capt. Olesen, for Puget Sound.
Steamer Solano, Capt. Benson, for Santa Rosalia.
Steamer Bee, Capt. Wehman, for San Francisco.
Steamer President, Capt. Cousins, for San Diego.
Steamer Thomas L. Wand, Capt. Nygren, for Puget Sound.
Steamer Tahoe, Capt. Reinertsen, for Gray's Harbor.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Feb. 15	San Diego, President	Pacific	6:00 a.m.
Feb. 15	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Feb. 15	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & P.	12:00 m.
Feb. 16	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Feb. 17	Seattle, Queen	Pacific	7:00 p.m.
Feb. 17	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Feb. 18	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.
Feb. 19	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	1:00 p.m.
Feb. 20	Seattle, Governor	Pacific	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 21	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	10:30 a.m.

TO DEPART.

Date.	For—Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Feb. 15	Seattle, President	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & P.	12:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 16	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 17	S. Francisco, Harvard	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 18	San Diego, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 18	Seattle, Queen	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 19	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 21	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 21	San Diego, Governor	Pacific	3:00 p.m.

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves San Pedro at 10 a.m. Returning leaves Avalon at 3:15 p.m., arriving at San Pedro at 5.45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

IN PORT.

U. S. destroyer Farragut, Banning wharf.
U. S. submarines H-1 and H-2, Banning wharf.
Steamer Del Norte, S. P. wharf.
Steamer Vanguard, inner harbor.
Steamer Tamalpias, E. K. W. L. Co.
Steamer Marshfield, inner harbor.
Steamer Charles Christensen, S. P. L. Co.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Angel, Portland, loading.
Schooner Louise, Gray's Harbor, sailed Jan. 31.
Steamer Idaho, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Klamath, Portland, loading.
Steamer Fair Oaks, Gray's Harbor, sailed Feb. 9.
Steamer A. M. Simpson, Coos Bay, loading.
Steamer Port Angeles, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Mandalay, Crescent City, sailed Feb. 11.
Steamer Davenport, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Celilo, Portland, loading.
Steamer Daisy Freeman, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Multnomah, Portland, loading.
Steamer Carlos, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Willamette, Portland, loading.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Steamer Fairhaven, Corinto, loading.
Japanese steamer Kiyo Maru, Hongkong, sailed Jan. 16.
British steamer Sculptor, London, loading.
Steamer George W. Elder, Balboa, sailed Jan. 31.
Steamer Santa Alicia, Valparaiso, sailed Jan. 7 with hulk Elizabeth in tow.
Steamer South Coast, Salina Cruz, loading.
Steamer Seiyo Maru, Valparaiso, for the Orient, sailed Feb. 1.

TIDE TABLE.

Thursday,	Feb. 15	2:31	11:06	5:26	8:24
		5.2	1.2	2.9	2.8
Friday,	" 16	5:42	1:25	8:49	
		5.5	0.5	2.8	
Saturday,	" 17	5:16	1:00	7:21	
		5.9	0.5	3.9	
Sunday,	" 18	12:04	6:18	1:41	7:55
		2.5	6.8	1.0	4.4
Monday,	" 19	1:04	7:13	2:20	8:31
		2.0	6.9	1.3	4.8

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

PORT ITEMS.

Four steam schooners arrived today from northern ports with lumber cargoes for various wholesale yards. They were the Tamalpias from Gray's Harbor, Charles Christensen from Willapa, Vanguard from Eureka, and Marshfield from Albion. Departures in ballast to reload were the Mukilteo and Thomas L. Wand for Puget Sound, and Tahoe for Gray's Harbor. The Bee sailed for San Francisco for orders, and the Solano proceeded to Santa Rosalia with cargo of coke.

The steamer President, which proceeded to San Diego today, brought an unusually heavy cargo of freight for Southern California this voyage. Of the 1900 tons aboard when the steamer left Seattle, 1886 tons were for this port and San Diego. She had over 200 tons of condensed milk alone, wheat flour and oats making up a large part of the balance.

Hal Baily, who has been superintendent for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company's wholesale yard here for the past six years, has been promoted to superintendent of the retail yards in Southern California with headquarters in Los Angeles. He will be succeeded by J. A. Privett, formerly manager of the C. A. Smith yard at Bay Point, and later manager of the Consolidated Lumber Company plant here.

Ground plans for the barracks at Fort MacArthur have been received by Maj. Henry Newton, who has been detailed to supervise the construction. There will be thirty-one buildings on the site, providing quarters for about 600 men and officers.

Argument?

IN VIOLENT FORM.

Applicant for Divorce Declares Husband, a Pasadena Dentist, Bumped Her Head on Bedstead's Brass Knob—Gets Decree and Children.

The curtain lecture which Dr. Edward Duff King, a Pasadena dentist, attempted to give Mrs. Marjorie Ayres King when she returned home from a dance took the violent form of bumping a brass knob taken from the bedstead on her head, she testified in Judge Monroe's court yesterday. This and other evidence submitted in the form of depositions won Mrs. King a decree of divorce.

Wr. King, who is ill, was represented in court by a physician. It was stated that a property settlement has been made out of court. Mrs. King will receive $100 a month for the care of the children, Aleda and Betty, until they are of age. She will also receive a certain sum under an agreement. The custody of the children was awarded to her.

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Legal.

REPORT OF DEPOSITS UNCLAIMED DURING PRECEDING TEN YEARS IN THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK AT LOS ANGELES, CAL., AS OF JANUARY 1, 1917. BANK NO. 5927.

Name.	Last known place of residence or postoffice address.	Amount.
Abbott, Mrs. F. L.	Los Angeles	$ 20.00
Acme Carriage & Auto Works	Los Angeles	.84
Adair, Mr. or Mrs. I. E.	Los Angeles	4.55
Alabaster, J. L.	Los Angeles	10.00
Alderman, S. L.	Los Angeles	.85
Allen, W. W., Sr.	Los Angeles	9.45
Allen, George W.	Los Angeles	5.00
Allen, W. H.	Los Angeles	1.65
Aldrich, A. L.	Los Angeles	18.55
American Furniture Co.	Los Angeles	1.58
Ames, Mrs. S. A.	Los Angeles	14.94
American Mercantile Agency	Los Angeles	2.75
Anderson, H. S.	Los Angeles	24.15
Anderson, Elmer, Manager	Los Angeles	2.95
Angelo, Hy. R.	Los Angeles	2.00
Anthony, Chas.	Los Angeles	2.26
Aryan Safety Co.	Los Angeles	7.48
Atlantic Paint Co.	Los Angeles	1.25
Auberry, Leila V.	Los Angeles	.65
Aubury, Mary E.	Los Angeles	2.45
Aufenkamp, Hy.	Los Angeles	.95
Austin, A. L.	Los Angeles	1.04
Bailey, Thos. A.	Los Angeles	12.66
Bailey, D. B.	Los Angeles	.90
Bailey and Cameron	Los Angeles	2.45
Baker, Mrs. Anna	Los Angeles	.70
Baker, A. G.	Los Angeles	.57
Baker, Florence D.	Los Angeles	1.14
Baldwin, E. J.	Los Angeles	3.21
Baldwin, Pearl L.	Los Angeles	1.00
Ball, G. H., (Star Loan)	Los Angeles	1.00
Baltic, E. A.	Los Angeles	3.00
Bandholt, J. F.	Los Angeles	1.43
Barkley, Thos J.	Los Angeles	6.05
Barkley, Thos J. Company	4430 S. Los Angeles St., Los Angeles	18.62
Barnefield, Chas. G.	Los Angeles	4.64
Barnes, George H.	Los Angeles	.60
Barnard Light & Heat Co.	Los Angeles	10.14
Barnett, Mrs. Jno. W.	Los Angeles	5.75
Barr, F. A.	Los Angeles	5.55
Barton, A. L., Agent	Los Angeles	4.79

Happy.

RECONCILIATION FOR VALENTINE.

Grosvenor Morse and Bride Join Hands Anew.

Divorce of Wealthy Couple is Bridged Over.

Millionaire Father Gives Them Fine Home.

A letter from E. M. Taylor, millionaire fiber manufacturer, who is in Europe, was received by Mrs. Helen Taylor Morse, his daughter, congratulating her on the reconciliation effected between her and her husband, Grosvenor Abbe Morse, and offering his splendid home in Altadena for the use of the young couple. This happy bit of news, not to speak of the reconciliation, means much for the Pasadena exclusive younger social set, which was depressed when Mr. Morse was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce six months ago.

Yesterday Mr. Morse's attorneys asked that the interlocutory decree of divorce be set aside. Mr. Morse, who is connected with the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank, stated yesterday that the differences which separated him and his wife have been ironed out and that a second honeymoon is being planned.

Mr. Morse is the son of the late Wellslake D. Morse of Orange Grove avenue, Pasadena. The divorce suit was a shock to the friends of the couple. Mr. Morse asked a divorce on the ground of desertion, stating to Judge Wood that his wife, after a brief married life, had gone to live with her parents and did not return to him. He told the court he felt that his wife's parents were in a measure to blame for the rift in their married happiness.

Mrs. Morse returned to Pasadena a few months ago. She met her husband; they talked matters over; perhaps acknowledged their little faults; agreed to forget and promised to love each other more dearly than ever. So, yesterday being St. Valentine's Day, the little fat god of love chuckled in glee because he had brought two hearts together once

Exonerated.

ATTORNEY CLEARED BY COURT RULING.

PROSECUTING WITNESS GETS A SEVERE REBUKE.

Judge Declares Review of the Evidence Shows Action was Based on Attempt to "Get Even" When Man Making Charge Himself was Culpable.

Edward E. Reach, an attorney, who was before Judge Taft in disbarment proceedings yesterday, was not only exonerated of the charge of unprofessional conduct, but the prosecuting witness, Charles F. Wren, was severely rebuked by the court.

Mr. Reach was charged with selling Mr. Wren an automobile to which he had no title. It was alleged that the machine belonged to the Dandy Motor Sales Company, which Mr. Reach represented professionally. Judge Taft found no basis in Mr. Wren's accusation, Mr. Reach fully clearing himself and establishing that what he did was done openly and lawfully.

In the course of his statement Judge Taft said:

"The circumstances, and the corroborating testimony, as far as it goes, all tends to the impeachment of Mr. Wren. His subsequent conduct is inconsistent with his bald, unsupported statement that he took the machine free and clear on the assurance of Mr. Reach that it was his.

"The bill of sale is more satisfactorily explained on Mr. Reach's part than on Mr. Wren's. This proceeding has, largely, the character of a criminal proceeding—it is not depriving a man of his liberty, but does deprive a man of his property if he is found guilty, in that it takes away his means of revenue.

"So far as I know, Mr. Reach has borne an unimpeachable reputation before this accusation came against him, and there has nothing appeared to impugn his honorable standing as a citizen and as a practitioner before this bar. And I am called upon here to place the brand of infamy upon his name and deprive him of his means of living, upon the unsupported statement of a man whose relations to this transaction were equivocal from the start—uncorroborated and entirely unsupported.

"On the basis of reasonable doubt I would have no right to pronounce a judgment, but sitting here and weighing all of the testimony, my unbiased conviction, the only conclusion, and the only feeling honestly I can reach from the evidence, is that Mr. Wren

Peace Dove Perches Here Anew.

Mrs. Helen Taylor Morse,
Who figures in a happy reconciliation with Grosvenor Abbe Morse, plaintiff in a recent successful divorce suit.

Too Many.

MYRIAD LAWS NOT ENFORCED.

Commerce Chamber Official Would Wipe 'Em Out.

"Back to Commandments and Enforce Them."

City and Legislature Named Among the Guilty.

"Americans in every State of the Union live in absolute contempt of the great majority of laws," declared Assistant Secretary Edward J. Trefz of the Chamber of Commerce to the Commercial Board of Los Angeles, a co-operative mercantile and manufacturing organization, which had luncheon at the Hotel Clark yesterday noon. "The attitude of the majority of the people toward the majesty of the law is one almost of ridicule. The worst thing that exists in our government today is the passage of countless laws which are never enforced.

"When England, in the greatest crisis of her career of many centuries, decided on the adoption of certain policies to cover governmental affairs for the present war period, her legislators, men seasoned by years of diplomacy and study of such matters, passed just ninety-one ordinances. At that same time, the California Legislature, in session at Sacramento, passed more than 500 bills. The same thing was being done in nearly every State of the nation. Such procedure is utter folly.

"The best thing that could happen today in the way of regulation would be the wiping out of every State statute in existence and a return to the original Ten Commandments which should be enforced in the strictest letter. If all the laws of California and all the city ordinances of Los Angeles were enforced in this way, the community and the State would be depopulated in a few weeks."

The speaker tried to impress on his auditors that our government today is the most wantonly wasteful to be found in the world. "This is the only recognized nation in existence, with the exception of Turkey, that handles its finances without a scheduled budget," he said, "and uses instead the great hit and miss plan which has from time immemorial spelled disaster for any private enterprise and must sooner or later lead to the ruin of the nation.

CHAOTIC CONDITIONS.

"There are fifty-three varieties of book-keeping to be fund in the various departments of government in Washington. The result is utter lack of co-relation, lack of knowledge as to what is being spent and a chaotic condition of affairs that will only be remedied when business men find time to study the business they should be most vitally interested in, that of government. When business gets busy with the business of government, then business will not have to suffer the bulk of the financial burden which are imposed on it today."

F. B. McCrosky, president of the board, was chairman of the meeting.

COIN WAS BAD?

Manuel Urquidez, a Mexican, was taken into custody yesterday by a Federal officer on the charge of passing a counterfeit silver dollar on John Cornelius, who runs a saloon and cigar store at No. 606 San Fernando street. It is claimed that Urquidez purchased a 5-cent package of tobacco and received 95 cents in change. Special Agent Hazen of the Department of Justice swore to a complaint charging Urquidez with passing a counterfeit coin, and he is being held in $1000 bond for examination before United States Commissioner Hammack.

PRESIDENT ACTS.

Notice of Stay of Execution in Shepard Case is Received Here.

President Wilson, it became known yesterday, has given Frederic M. Shepard, the local attorney convicted of smuggling smoking opium into this country from Mexico, an additional stay of sixty days, to allow Shepard's friends time to present the matter of his pardon to the President. Shepard was sentenced to San Quentin by United States District Judge Bledsoe, and the appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeal was against the accused. Various delays have intervened since final judgment was pronounced, and a final attempt is now being made to have the accused the recipient of Executive pardon.

Shepard has been able to muster considerable strength in his behalf and it is understood that Senator Phelan has been enlisted in the cause. United States District Attorney Schoonover is opposing the pardon, and has written the Attorney-General giving his views of the case. Shepard insists that he is not guilty, in spite of the verdict of the jury, and an appeal for clemency has been signed by members of that body individually.

Safety First.

FARMERS ORGANIZE TO MAKE LAW NEEDS KNOWN.

WITH fifty representatives of various Southern California co-operative marketing organizations present the work of organizing a Los Angeles' branch of the Farmers' Protective League received hearty indorsement at a meeting held yesterday afternoon in the directors' room of the Chamber of Commerce.

Frank B. McKevitt, president of the league, presided at the meeting and outlined the work and object of the organization. He told how the league members, numbering 24,150 mostly in the northern part of the State, are joined together to protect the farmer in legislative matters and to co-ordinating their interests to the end that their needs may be written into the laws in their making.

At present thirty-two counties are represented in the Farmers' Protective League, Mr. McKevitt stated. The industries represented comprise practically every farming industry in California, the olive, walnut and citrus grower, working hand in hand for common protection. Mr. McKevitt expressed the belief that before many months the organization will have a membership of almost 100,000. It has been in existence since June, 1914, but not until recently have the officers been waging a strenuous campaign for members.

C. C. Teague, second vice-president of the league, who was present at yesterday's meeting, was appointed chairman of the Organization Committee for Los Angeles and Southern California. Every representative present at yesterday's meeting, indorsed the project without reservation and pledged himself to work towards making Los Angeles the headquarters of the largest branch in the league.

New Building Code.

LIMIT FOR SKYSCRAPERS ELEVATED TWO STORIES.

REINFORCED concrete class A buildings in Los Angeles may in future be twelve stories, or 150 feet, in height, instead of only ten stories, as is provided in the present building law.

This has been decided by the Council, which met for the purpose of considering many features of the proposed new building code.

The members further unanimously agreed there shall be no retroactive legislation affecting buildings. This means that, with the exception of stringent regulations in relation to fire escapes, provisions of the code shall not apply to buildings already constructed.

The objection made by the Realty Board and the Building Owners' Association to the reduction of the number of stories of class B, C and D structures was sustained. The proposed code provided for limiting the stories to two, three and four respectively. They are now limited to three, four and five, and there will be no change.

Objection by the steel companies to the provision for the testing of steel as to its physical and chemical properties, and also requiring a second coat of paint, was sustained.

Next Tuesday the Council will take up several more objections to the proposed code and then will probably turn it over to the city legal department for final revision.

The proposed code was first submitted to the Council nine months ago. It was prepared by the Building Ordinance Committee, which spent more than two years in compiling it.

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And what woman isn't—just now—will be glad to know that at Coulter's are all the new spring materials that fashion best into summer outer apparel, and all the sturdy stuffs that are to be made into lingerie of every sort. The assemblage is complete.

New Voiles
White grounds or colored; pretty checks, stripes and figures in the neatest imaginable designs; and in the bolder patterns as well, in all colors; 36 to 40 inches wide, and 75c, 50c, 35c yard.

New Paisley Voiles
A favorite for spring; chiffon voiles and silk mixed novelties; yard-wide, 35c, 75c, $1.

Japanese Crepes
For dresses; these in characteristic stripes and checks, or in the plain colors; 30 inches wide, 25c.

New White Voiles
In stripes, checks, plaids; some corded, others with satin stripes and checks; all new styles, 35c to $1.00.

New Skirtings
And suitings in white—gabardines, oxfords in novelty weaves; plain Palm cloths, poplins and similar suitings, 27 to 36 inches wide, 25c to 75c.
(Wash Goods; Rear South Aisle)

New Gabardines
White with hairline stripes in spring-like colors; 36 inches wide; yard 75c.

New Corded Stripes
Very pretty novelties; the stripes in colors with a white cord combination; this for skirts and suits; 36-inch width, 75c.

New Ginghams
For the sturdier sorts of garments; novel color combinations in stripe and plaids, 15c to 35c yard.

New Serpentine Crepes
For kimonos and negligees; 30 inches wide, yard 20c.

New White Goods
Madras and novelty waistings; all the various stripes and figures, or figured stripes and checks in self effects; 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

New White Piques
Various widths of cords, 27 to 36 inches wide, 25c to 75c.
(Wash Goods; Rear South Aisle)

THE PURPOSE OF THE NEW
Nemo "Back-Resting" Corsets
IS TO REST YOUR BACK AND IMPROVE YOUR FIGURE
Here are models for the slender and extra-slim:

No. 332—Young ladies and women of the very slender type, with angular forms, will appreciate this dainty little model. It weighs only 15 ounces, yet it is firm and durable; rests your back, stops your backache, gives you a rounded waist. Sizes 19 to 26—$3.75.
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The new and invaluable health and fashion service given by Nemo Back-Resting Corsets commends them to the attention of all women.

New Merode Underwear
Has just arrived, including union suits in medium cotton, regular and extra sizes; high neck, long or elbow sleeves; Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, ankle length; low neck, no sleeves, knee and ankle length.

Richelieu
—union suits in all styles, are here now.
—Women's vests, low neck, sleeveless, sizes 40, 42 and 44, in light or heavy weight cotton, 35c; three for $1.

Nazareth Union Suits
—high neck, long sleeves, ankle; were 50c 35c

Kayser
—chemise, Italian silk top and mercerized jersey body, in white or pink at $1.50

Black Lisle Vests
—low neck, no sleeves, were 50c and 75c, now 25c and 35c.

Black Union Suits
—low neck, no sleeves, knee; sizes 4 and 5; were $1.50, now $1.15; size 8, were $1.75, now $1.25.
(Knitwear; South Aisle)

Bohemian Glass Sale
Hand colored Bohemian glass salt and pepper shakers, sugars and creamers, cruets, mayonnaise bowls, jam jars and similar articles; special .... 50c and $1.00
(Table; South Aisle)

The Daintiest Imaginable Petticoats on Sale Now
The fluffy, frilly sorts for elaborate occasions, and the plainer and more practical styles for every day wear, are attractively priced just now.

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Petticoats
—in cambric; double flounce, tucked lawn and Swiss embroidery; reg. $1.50 .... $1.25

Petticoats
—of lawn; flounce made with one row of organdie embroidery; two of Valenciennes lace .. $1.25
—of cambric; deep ounce of lawn; four rows of lace ... $1.50
—with deep lawn ounce; wide German Valenciennes insertion; were $2.50 .... $1.75
—with three rows of Valenciennes lace; wide beading and ribbon; were $2.50 .... $1.75
—in cambric; flounce of dotted Swiss embroidery; beading and ribbon; were $2.75 ...... $2.00

Many Other Styles
—just as good values, all enticingly repriced for you who wisely purchase now.
(Muslinwear; South Aisle)

Now Arrive Charming Dresses
Every dainty spring-like material is shown—lustrous, soft taffetas, combinations of Georgette and taffeta, garments of winsome Georgette.
And the colors are black, navy, rose, tans, Copenhagen and dainty grays—a shade suitable for day or evening wear.
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(Garments; Second Floor)

Only One or Two Alike of Any of These Bags or Cases
And that accounts for their lower prices, in the face of advances in leather goods all the while. We cannot mention every bag concerned. Let these convince you of the savings obtainable:

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$16.50 Cowhide Bag $12.40
$19.50 Cowhide Bag $14.65
$20.00 Seal Bag $15.00
$10.00 Cowhide Hat Box $7.50
$16.50 24-inch Suitcase $12.40
$21.50 24-inch Suitcase $16.15
$25.00 24-inch Suitcase $18.75

Black Luggage
$48.50 black fitted Suitcases, ivory fittings, $36.40.
$27.00 best grade walrus; hand-sewed frame and corners $20.25
$17.00 best grade walrus sewed bag, all round straps $12.75
$17.00 genuine seal bag; sewed frame, for $12.75.

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For Home for Girls.

THROUGH JOYOUS DANCE WILL FINANCE CHARITY.

"CHARITY begins at home" is the motto of the members of the Queen's Daughters, who will give a grand charity ball tonight at Columbus Auditorium for the benefit of the Home for Girls, which they support. The home is located on Sunset boulevard, and was founded for the purpose of caring for girls who are homeless or out of work. Although the institution is maintained by the Catholic society of the Queen's Daughters, it is nonsectarian in its scope, as it cares for needy girls of all religions. The girls, who can afford to do so, pay a small fee for board and room, but those unable to work, and those out of work, are housed free of charge. The programme for tonight includes dancing, cards and Mardi Gras.

The affair will be given under the direction of Mrs. Arnold J. Burkelman, and all the ladies of the Queen's Daughters will act as hostesses. The list of patronesses is composed of Mmes. Charles Allen, R. S. Armstrong, J. Anderson, A. J. Bayer, John J. Bergin, James P. Burns, George W. Barnes, Joseph Boylson, L. N. Brunswig, George A. Bobrick, D. J. Cahill, J. H. Curtin, P. G. Cotter, A. J. Clark, D. J. Coyne, Joseph Conaty, Dan Cunningham, F. E. Cline, James G. Donovan, E. F. Dillon, C. C. Desmond, M. E. Deering, B. Donnell, I. B. Dockweiler, M. Dorsey, K. Frederick, Philip Forve, William H. Field, C. C. Ganahl, L. A. Grant, M. A. C. Griffith, J. J. Gilligan, W. E. Hampton, George Allen Hancock, Vincent Hannon, J. Holst, George A. J. Howard, John Howard, C. Hickson, J. C. Kays, H. W. Keller, T. Kimmons, Carl Leonardt, Charles Lee, E. F. Mullen, Julia Mullen, F. E. McGinniss, Paul J. McCormick, M. Young-Moore, M. J. McGarry, P. J. McGarry, A. McNally, A. J. McCone, P. J. McDonald, A. J. Martin, Joseph Mesmer, William Molony, Dan Murphy, Thomas J. Murphy, Martin Marsh, A. Mulhissen, W. F. O'Meara, Thomas J. O'Neil, T. F. O'Neill, H. E. O'Brien, A. K. Pope, E. O. Palmer, Frank Powell, A. W. Redmond, William Ronbinger, William Rowland, H. W. Renick, R. W. Saake, Frank Spearman, James Sword, A. B. Smith, C. F. Stamps, Joseph Scott, J. E. Thibeau, R. C. Troeger, Thomas P. White, George N. Warwick, Charles L. Whipple, Alfred Wilke, George Wilson, and Misses M. Crimmins and L. Lynch.

Far-reaching.

NOTABLE DECISION UPON ASSESSMENTS.

PUBLIC WORKS BOARD ACTED WITHOUT JURISDICTION.

Emil Firth Wins Substantial Victory in Contest Against Payment of Levy for Madison-Virgil Storm Drain—New District may be Formed.

Emil Firth, who has vigorously protested against the alleged injustice of the assessment of the Madison-Virgil storm drain district, and refused to pay the assessment, won a substantial victory yesterday in the suit brought against him by the contractors, the Tibbits-Pacific Company, to enforce the collection.

The case was tried by Judge E. P. Shortall of San Francisco, sitting for Judge Myers in Department Eleven, and when Attorney Ingle Carpenter, representing Mr. Firth, moved for a nonsuit, it was granted, on the ground that the time for the performance of the contract was up before the extension was granted by the Board of Public Works. The court held that the board was without jurisdiction to extend the time.

Mr. Firth, who is an extensive owner of property in the Crestmont tract, held that a part of the territory did not drain into the Madison-Virgil storm drain, but did drain into Silver Lake basin. Hence he received no benefit from the system. His agent, Bert M. Hilliker, made a protest before the board when the matter was up, and when it was not heeded, Mr. Firth refused to pay the assessment.

It is probable that a new assessment district will be formed, and that the contention of Mr. Firth that his property is not benefitted will be taken into account.

BAD DAY FOR AUTO DRIVERS.

Ninety-one Prosecuted in One Court and Every One is Convicted.

Ninety-one motorists, said to be a record number, were prosecuted in Justice Hanby's court yesterday on charges of speeding. Every one was convicted and fined according to the excess speed of which he was guilty. To have the throttle wide open cost $25. Merely being negligent and hasty cost but $5.

Mother Needed.

CHILDREN'S PLEA WINS.

Woman Charged with Arson is Set Free When Little Evidence Against Her is Shown and Her Presence at Home is Proved Necessary.

Two little children who needed the hourly care of their mother were successful advocates in the District Attorney's office yesterday to have a charge of arson resting against their mother dismissed. She and her husband, Claud Pearman, were arrested on the charge of having set fire to their home, No. 1883 East Forty-first street, October 8.

Mrs. Pearman's trial was to have begun in Superior Judge Willis's court yesterday, but there was little evidence against the mother and the need of her children was so urgent that Deputy District Attorney Doran asked that the case be dismissed.

The father of the children will face trial tomorrow. It is alleged he set fire with the purpose of defrauding an insurance company.

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ASK AMENDMENT TO LIQUOR LAW.

COUNCID TO DECIDE TODAY ON ONE-DAY PERMIT PLAN.

Unionites Fail in Attempt to Have Measure Passed Under the Emergency Clause—Societies and Many Organizations Favor the Proposed Bill.

An amendment to the liquor ordinance providing for one-day licenses will be considered by the Council this morning. It was introduced yesterday by Councilman Wright and strongly advocated by Councilman Wheeler, but objection was made to the section permitting the sale of whisky and mixed drinks and the measure was referred to the City Attorney for revision.

It is understood that the real reason for bringing the amendment up yesterday was to have it passed as an emergency measure so as to permit the sale of intoxicating liquors at the Labor Union Temple during the remainder of the week.

Councilman Roberts said last night that there is no possibility of the amendment being rushed through under the emergency clause. "Former Judge Bordwell gave a decision that it was illegal to pass a liquor law as an emergency measure," said Mr. Roberts, "and the decision still stands."

That a majority of the Councilmen are in favor of the proposed amendment seemed apparent yesterday, but it was not because of the request of the unionites. Such an amendment has been under consideration ever since the official edict that no society, organization or individual could sell liquors without a license. The order prohibited the sale or giving away of liquors at picnics or other jubilations.

The proposed amendment provides for the payment of $10 per day for licenses, which are to be given by the City Clerk upon approval of the Police Commission. It is said the amendment is very similar to the law in San Francisco.

SUIT TRANSFERRED. TO BE HEARD IN NORTH.

The $103,000 damage suit of Mrs. Mary E. Patterson against Dist.-Atty. James F. Hunt and Sierra county will be tried in the latter county instead of Los Angeles county, according to the transfer ordered by Judge Jackson yesterday. The motion for transfer was made by former Judge Clarke, acting for the defendants, who stated that naming the county as a defendant was a misjoinder and made for the purpose of having the action tried in another county. The court remarked that if there was any prejudice in Sierra county it could be determined there.

Mrs. Patterson was arrested November 11, 1916, charged jointly with King Dutra with slaying her husband, Charles E. Patterson imprisoned in the County Jail five days and in the jail in Sierra county twenty-five days. The case against her was dismissed before Justice James Mason of Sierra county last December.

CITIZENS PROTEST. OPPOSE "MOVIE" ZONE.

Protesting against the creation of an industrial zone in the Hollywood district, a delegation from that section of the city yesterday called at the Mayor's office. The advisability of placing the "movie" camps in an industrial zone has been under consideration by the Public Welfare Committee, and the Hollywood citizens said they will oppose such action.

FIVE CANDIDATES FOR CITY COUNCIL.

Five persons yesterday secured nominating petitions from the City Clerk and will place them in circulation today. All are aspirants for seats in the Council. The first to apply for petitions was Councilman Topham, wha was convicted of malfeasance in office and upon whom sentence may be imposed next Saturday. Councilwoman Lindsay, Evan Lewis, former City Assessor; John J. Haisch of The Palms and Charles Groman were the others.

TEST FUEL GAS. ORDERED BY COUNCIL.

A petition signed by twenty-one citizens asking that an official test be made of the fuel gas produced by the Los Angeles Gas Company was referred yesterday by the Council to the Board of Public Utilities. The petition is headed by B. F. Butler. It was declared by some spectators at the meeting that the move is in the interests of the proposed $12,000,000 power-bond election. A recent report of a twenty-four-hour test of the gas showed it to be above the percentage required by law.

CASE DISMISSED. ASSAYER IS FREED.

Charges against George Pratt, an assayer, were dismissed in Superior Judge Willis's court yesterday. At a previous trial the jury had failed to agree.

Pratt was accused of having bought gold and silver from automobile bandits, with the knowledge the goods were stolen. Witnesses who had appeared against Pratt in the first trial had been called to other parts of the State on business, and Deputy District Attorney Doran asked the case be dismissed.

PROTEST DENIED. WILL WIDEN STREET.

The protest against the proposed widening of Second street between Hill and Olive streets was denied yesterday by the Council. After the Second-street tunnel is completed it is proposed to establish a roadway forty feet wide along the north side of Second street, the idea being to afford access to the top of the hill.

City Hall Briefs.

Col. G. J. Griffith's deed granting the city the right to construct, operate and maintain poles, towers and wires for the transmission of electrical energy, together with telephone lines, in and through Griffith Park, was accepted yesterday by the Council.

The Mayor and Council were authorized yesterday to execute a contract between the Standard Oil Company and the Board of Public Service Commissioners covering transmission easements in San Fernando.

Permission by ordinances was granted to improve St. Andrews place between Franklin avenue and a line 400 feet northerly therefrom and to improve Morgan place between Franklin avenue and a line 400 feet northerly therefrom by private contract.

The bond of James P. Britt, superintendent of municipal markets, in the sum of $2000, was approved yesterday by the Council.

An ordinance providing for ornamental lights on Fifty-fifth street, between Budlong avenue and Normandie avenue, was adopted yesterday by the Council.

The Mayor's annual message to the Council will be filed tomorrow. It will be an exhaustive document bearing upon the power bonds, harbor work and other matters of importance.

At the Courthouse.

RELEASED ON HIS PROMISE TO PAY.

WORRAL GEORGE DECKER FACES CONTEMPT CHARGE.

It's Time You Settled Down, Says Judge in Proceedings Growing Out of Remitttance Man's Marital Troubles—Wife Spurns His Attempt at Reconciliation.

Worral George Decker smiled a sad sort of a smile yesterday when Judge Wood yesterday remarked, without harshness: "You have made all kinds of a monkey of yourself, apparently, and it's time you settled down and made a man of yourself." Meditatively the court added: "It's a question whether it has been a good thing for you to have all this money left to you."

Mr. Decker was before the court in the second round of contempt proceedings. He left the city some time ago when the court ordered him to assign one-half of his salary to his wife, Dorothy Decker, pending the trial of her separate-maintenance suit. But he decided to come back and was arrested in San Francisco on a bench warrant.

After the lecture Mr. Decker told Judge Wood he was willing to turn over to his wife everything but $50 a month, which he desires to send to his mother. She is ill and in need of support, he stated. Furthermore, he expressed a desire to have his wife return to him, but she declines to do so. The contempt matter was continued for two months, with Mr. Decker on his good behavior, as it were.

Col. G. Watson French, a wealthy Davenport manufacturer, who was in court, said he would pay the contempt fine, if Mr. Decker kept straight.

"I'll pay it myself," said the young man, and he promised to do that in the two months' limit. He draws $200 a month from a trust fund.

COURTHOUSE NOTES. BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

TRY IT AGAIN. The interlocutory decree of divorce granted Charles O. Washburn has been set aside by Judge Finlayson, when it was stated that Mr. and Mrs. Washburn had become reconciled. The decree was granted some time ago.

SUES ACTRESS. Ruth Roland, moving-picture actress, was made defendant in a suit for $50,000 damages, filed yesterday by the Balboa Amusement Producing Company, alleging breach of contract. Under the terms of the contract she was to draw $300 a week for the first six months and $350 a week for the remainder of the year, she agreeing, it is claimed, to appear for no other company during the year. It is alleged that she did appear at various times in productions of other concerns.

DE CAMP ESTATE. The will of Edgar A. de Camp, who died on the 3rd inst., was filed for probate yesterday. The estate, valued at $9000, was given to the widow, Myra B. de Camp, who, after paying any indebtedness, will place the balance in trust, one-half to go to her and the other half to be divided between the children, Ray de Camp and Lura de Camp Pfaffmann.

CONTINUES CASE. Judge Monroe yesterday continued the divorce suit of Mrs. Grace Jones against John P. Jones until Monday in order to have Mr. Jones in court. Mrs. Jones charged desertion, alleging that Mr. Jones, by his cruel acts, compelled her to leave her home in Pasadena. The fight Monday will be over the custody of the children, Mr. Jones claiming that his wife is not a fit person to have charge of them.

INCORPORATIONS. The National Rock Products Company; incorporators, M. E. Allured, Walter S. Shourdes and Leonard G. Copp; capital stock $200,000; subscribed $30. The Sixteen Oil Company; incorporators, E. L. Baker, N. L. Pettit, M. Krieg, E. Ayer and L. Royce; capital stock, $100,000; subscribed, $500. The Pasadena Sunshine Society; incorporators, Grace Crosby, Chester A. Krape, Helen B. Baker, Nora Harrison, Elizabeth Sanborn, Ada L. Haynes, Mary C. Porter and Henry C. Hoatling.

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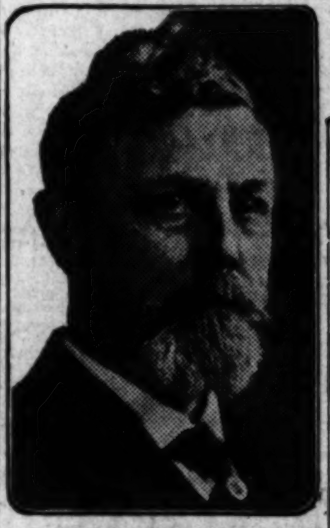

The Doctor's Advice
By Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College-Elwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

Mrs. Belle C. writes: "I am informed that I have kidney trouble and that it is fast approaching a serious stage. What would you prescribe?"

Answer: If your symptoms are the usual ones, such as puffs under the eyes, swelling ankles; scant, copious or foul-smelling urine, accompanied by headaches, pains, depression, fever, chills, etc., I would advise the immediate use of balmwort tablets, a very fine remedy for such difficulties, sold in sealed tubes with full directions for self-administration.

Miss Daisy B. writes: "I have what people call liver spots on my skin. I am sallow almost like a person with jaundice and I know my liver is not right. Have sour risings, coated tongue and get terribly sleepy after eating. Am constipated and seldom feel good."

Answer: Such symptoms indicate the need of a good tonic for stomach, liver and bowels and I advise cardiol tablets as superior to calomel and of lasting benefits. Your druggist can supply in sealed package with direction thereon.

Miss Bertie L. asks: "What remedy can you recommend to reduce obesity safely? I want to reduce about thirty pounds."

Answer: I rely on five-grain arbolone tablets as being the most effective and convenient treatment to reduce abnormal fat. Druggists supply this in sealed tubes with complete directions. After the first few days a pound a day is not too much reduction.

Mr. G. R. writes: "Please tell me what to take to get rid of pimples, boils and bad blood. I know I need a constipation remedy."

Answer: It is probably neglect of constipation that has made your blood bad. Begin a thorough treatment of three grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur tablets.) Continue for several months.

M. J. B. asks: "My hair is too oily and my scalp itches with dandruff, and of late it is combing out too much. What is a good treatment?"

Answer: Obtain plain ... from your druggist in ... as per directions. This ... cools and invigorates the ... thus stopping the ... Dandruff and itching ... Men and women all over ... use it regularly.

"Laura" says: "Some time ... tracted a very severe cold ... have tried many remedies ... not seem to help me at all ... would advise me what to do."

Answer: What you need ... cough syrup, one that will ... from your system. The ... scription will check your ... Get a 2½-oz. package of ... sence mentho-laxene ... to directions on the bottle ... spoonful every hour or two ... cold is better. This will ... very few days.

Miss C. W. R. asks: "I ... two years to diet ... weight and improve ... blood, but in vain. Please ... me?"

Answer: This ... ple need assistance in ... tion from the food ... particular purpose I ... three-grain hypo-nuclane ... effective preparation ... sistently used, as it ... red and white corpuscles ... thus affording health ... creased weight.

Geo. V. G. writes: ... prescribe for me, as I ... understand my ... year have suffered ... trembling and extreme ... poor appetite, am weak ... ambition to work or ... tired all the time and ... strong, capable man I ... ago."

Answer: A powerful ... medicine should revive the ... gish condition and put ... energy into your ... tain three grain ... sealed tubes, take as per ...

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Prohibition.

CONGRESS ... DRYS WIN.

Senate and House Against Booze.

Amendment to Postoffice Bill Barring Liquor Ads from Mail Adopted.

Resolution to Submit the Issue to National Electorate is Favorably Reported.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 15.—The drys won several bouts with the wets today in Congress. The ... adopted an amendment to ... postoffice appropriation bill denying the use of the mails to publications carrying liquor advertisements ... dry territory.

The amendment was bitterly fought by the wets, who tried to ... it by offering a drastic proposal ... no liquor should be shipped ... dry territory except for "scientific, sacramental, medicinal or mechanical purposes."

To the surprise and chagrin of the ... the drys got in behind their ... and put it through over ... own objections.

In the House, the Webb national ... resolution was favorably ... by the Judiciary Committee ... Leader Kitchin, who is ... favor of submitting the ... of national prohibition to ... said that the House ... be given an opportunity to ...

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